

HEIRS OF A GREAT PAST

In memory of all our Heirs of a great past; all of us have an enriched life because of those that have been here before us.

Not only do we belive in God, and a future of life, of peace, of happiness and of beauty surpassing human conception, but we also feel that in remembering these worthy ones, we are able to attain new heights, and to challenge posterity to even greater accomplishments.

Let us remember, therefore, that while we pause to read these records, we pay a parting tribute, and come to consecrate ourselves anew to the great unfinished task of creating better world.

I seek to draw a little closer all the relatives, evidencing of faith and hope in greater courage for the days ahead; and to memorialize the loved ones! gone before us, those of the Great Past.

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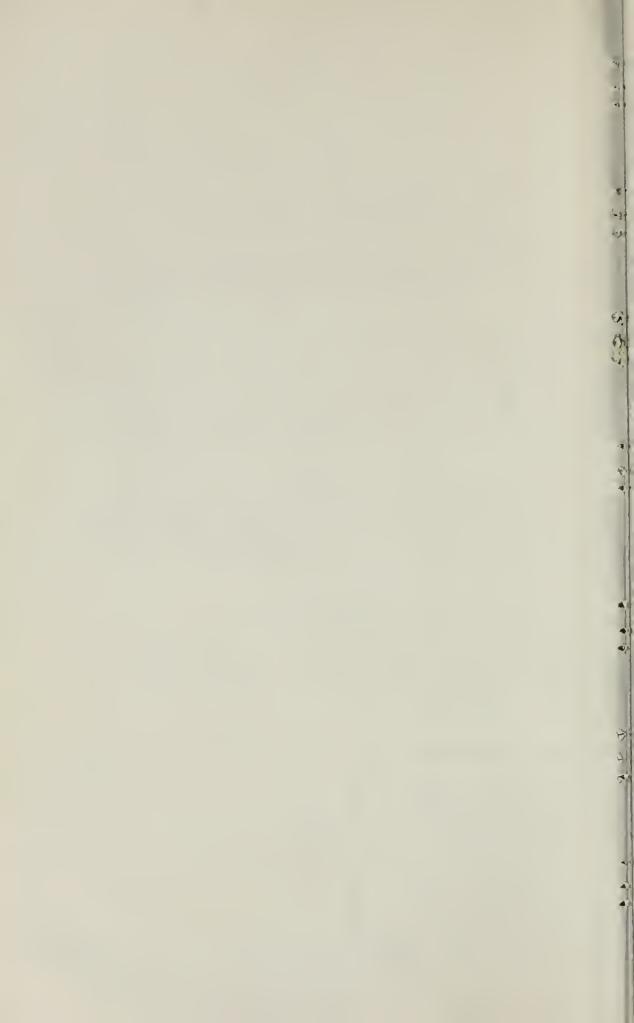
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INTRODUCTION

In getting the material by mail, inter viewing relatives, the statement that was universally used was "OUR PEOPLE". It was a joy to hear them tell the memories they had of the older members, of their families, and the sincerity with which they spoke. I almost felt that my requests of them for information, names, dates and addresses were taken as commands of some high superior.

After six years I have the following pages of "OUR PEOPLE", on record. It has been a privilege to meet the younger members of the families, although many only by correspondence.

Remember always, that all of us, you and I especially, are decendants from these Immigrants. Everywhere Immigrants have enriched and strengthened the fabric of American life; Our People were the frontiers men, they were the ones who represent the many sacrifices that were to make life in real fulfillment of today. They shared the hope of economic opportunity and personal freedom; and America provided that to our forefathers, to you and me for todays way of life.

A grateful thanks to the many sources of help, my Aunts, Clara Claus, and Sophie Scheidemann, and the many cousins, Dear Uncle Coony and Aunt Millie Claus, were so helpful. Mr. John Scheideman for having unfolded the early history of the Scheideman Families. Mr. A. Kuceras' help with the Faiman family, and to everyone else who so kindly contributed.

THE GERMAN IMMIGRANTS

German Immigration reflected all the chaotic conditions of Centeral Europe after Napoleon: the population growth, the widespread hunger, the religious dissention and oppression. The Germans included, Lutherans Jews and Catholics, as well as free-thinkers. Their talents, training and backgrounds greatly enriched the nation. To the influence of German Immigration in particular, although all minority groups contributed, we owe the mellowing og the Austere Puritan imprint on our daily lives. The Puritians! observed the Sabbath as a day of silence and solemnity. The Germans' clung to their concept of the "Continental Sunday," as a day not only of church going, but also revelation, of picnic, of visiting, of quiet drink-ing in beer gardens while listening to the music of a band.

The Christmas ritual of religious services combinded with the exchange of gifts around the Christmas tree is of German origin. So, too, is the celebration of the New Year.

The fact that today almost every large American City has its symphony orchestra can be traced to the influence of the German migration. Leopold Damrosch and his son, Walter, helped build the famous New York Philharmonic. Originally composed mainly of German Immigrant Musicians, and called The Germania Orchestra. It became the seed bed of similar organization all over the United States.

Community singing and glee clube owe much to the German Immigrant, who remembered his singing societies. The first Leidenburg was organized in Baltimore in 1836. Their counterparts have been a feature of the German American Community everywhere.

The ideas of German Immigrants helped shape our educational system. They introduced the kindergarten, or children's play school. They also promoted the concept of the state endowed university, patterned after the German University.

The program of physical education in the schools had it roots in the TURNVEREIN, or the German Gymnastic Society.

German Immigrant influence has been pervasive in our customs and in our basic philosophy. Even the hamburger, the frankfurter and the delicatessen, that neighborhood institution came to us via the immigrants.



THE IMMIGRANT'S OF 1764

In Southern Russia there were also entire villages with their German Schools and the German language spoken universally in the little villages, except when forced into the contact with Russians, who they looked upon with extreme bitterness.

On June 29th, 1764 a new colony was organized. It is believed that this colony included ancestors of the Claus, Greiss, Scheidemann and many others who migrated into Russia. In one of the books was the following; It is believed that about August 15th, 1767 there were about 215 families, 501 men, and 456 women, who went to form a Colony, called Norka. A Total of about 2000 migrated. They could take along only essentials and nothing else was permitted. The Migrant group consisted of:

4 Doctors 1 Attorney
4 Pharmacists 1 Clerk

i Theologian l Professor

Various Technicians, such as,

Military
Men with handwork skills
Stone Masons
Paper Makers
Clock Manufactures.

The above known by todays titles. The trades and professions stated were brought to either teach or serve the Colony.

Although farming was the occupation they all had special skills to contribute to the colonist various families. Every thing that was in their possession was in most cases made within the family group. This included raising of flax, and the spinning and weaving of the clothe.

The German people were very concerned over the fact that their young were draft- ed into the military service. A great deal of unrest and desire to make a change.

Fortunately for them, the ruler of Russia at that time was Czarina Catherine the third, of German decent, and at one time a German Princess. Back in 1762 Russia at that time was a vast empire with need for more population. Catherine, ruler at the time, deceided to colonize the Empire's uninhabited regions. Also to introduce a higher culture than was found among the Russians. With that in view she issued a decree, inviting foreign people, to which was published in the principal German and Swiss towns and cities.

Empress Catherine caused to be issued a charter, written for the Colonists from the West, granting free land, funds, and freedom from military service, religious freedom and local self goverment to them and their descendants forever.

The responce was immediate and phenomenal. Great waves of German people and families started eastward.

After the death of Catherine, (born 1729, died 1796) her son Paul and her Grandson Alexander approved the same policy, and extensive colonization occured from 1803 to 1823. Land had been assigned to each family, about a hundred and fifty acres. They did not line on the farms, they chose to line in the villages. The reason as that due to the long winters farming was only a few months occupation. Colonists had advantage of the long term loans of considerable sums of money besides, exemption from taxes for ten years.

My Mother Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus was a weaver, until her family came to the United States, in 1899. I still have in my possesion, wooden spoons that was the only eating utensil each family member had. They were made only once a year. I was told that often small children would chew or bite bits off of ther spoons until it was very difficult to feed one with it, especially if it was soup.

Of course you heard about the fun times the little ones had, such as sleighing in the winter time. The snow was very deep and the slides for sledding were always from the roof tops.

The houses in the colony village for most part were made of sandstone, quarried and sawed into blocks. In some villages houses were built of brick. The roofs were made of poles covered with reeds or cane. This was so applied that only the thick end of the reeds were exposed to view.

They had garden walls made of stone, enclosing the yards, orchards and animal areas. Orchards florished and shade and ornamental trees graced the yards and streets. They soon had horses, cattle, sheep and fouls to go with their farming.

These German Colonists prospered in this new home land. The colonist had advantage of long term loans of considerable sums of money, besides exemption from taxas for ten years. These people built beautiful villages and named them after the towns in Germany: Kassel, Rohrbach, Norka, Stuttgart, Worms, and so forth. There was a possible total of 166 Colonies.

In latter years, when Alexander came into power; this prevailing sense of freedom was lifted, and a law passed that every second son would be drafted into service. Also that they contemplated cancellation of the Colonial Charter. That charter was valid only for one hundred years, or a century and that century had expired. (1762-1862) to all those that did not like the interpetation were given ten years to leave the country.

The colonist felt that something had to be done. They did not want to become Russian subjects nor have their sons drafted into the Russian Army. So this time the migration was to be across an ocean to the United states of America. Again to start new homes,

churches, and a new life just as their ancestors had, had a hundred years or less ago. Again to start a new life in a new land, and far from the Fatherland.

From this beginning in the fall of 1873 came the Henry Griess family. Father of Grandpa Johann P. Griess, was Sophie Griess Scheidemann, whos' family group is included in this book.

In the spring of 1875 the family of Johanas Claus arrived with his family of two sons, Adam and John Claus. John Claus brought with him his family. They were sponsored by Johannes Grosshans of Sutton Nebr. They settled near Stocham Nebraska, where they lived and homesteaded a farm. Their first house was built of Sod.

From the sod house they moved to Sutton Nebraska, where a purchase of land was made and a new home was built. Latter on a farm was purchased south of town. The information about the Claus Families is also included in this book.

At the time the Claus Family arrived in the United States the Russian Ruble had a value of fifty-two cents, but much could be bought in this new land with the money they did bring with them.

They had come across the Atlantic in the sterage of the boat. Here they lived the 15 days, eating only what food they brought with them. Although the trip had many hard-ships they soon forgot it in their new land, and new home.

JOHN CLAUS FAMILY

John Claus, Born, Jan. 25, 1855, Colony of Norka, Country of Russia.

Died, February 6, 1922, Sutton Nebraska. Interned, Sutton Cemetery, Sutton, Nebraska.

Occupation, Farmer and Local Merchant, Creamery, Butter and Eggs, in Sutton, Nebr.

Immigrant to United States, June 1875.

Wife, Margaret Traudt Claus.
Born, April 4, 1853, Colony of Norka,
Country of Russia.
Died, May 3rd, 1932, Culbertson, Nebraska.
Interned in Sutton Cemetery, Sutton Nebraska.

Children:

Elizabeth Claus Kern.

John Henry Claus.

William H. Claus

Daughter, deceased at birth.

Christina Claus, burned to death,

interned in Denver Colo

Catherine Claus Schleiger.

Conrad Claus, deceased at age of three.

Adam Claus.

Margretha Claus, died 7-7-1923.

George Claus.

Louie Claus.

Pauline Claus, deceased at the age of 2.

Conrad Claus.





THE JOHN CLAUS FAMILY



THE GRANDFATHER"S CLOCK
Grandfather Claus cherished it very
much. It has been passed from Son
to son. The interesting thing about
the clock was that the very hour he
passed away the clock stopped.
Photographed in the home of the
youngest son, Conrad O. Claus.

THE JOHN KERN FAMILY

Elizabeth Claus Kern, Born, Nov. 8th, Colony of Norka, Country of Russia.

Died Nov. 25th, McCook, Nebr. Interned, McCook Cemetery, McCook Nebr.

Fathers name, John Claus, Mothers name, Margaret Traudt Claus.

Husband, John Kern, Born Oct. 15th, 1870, Colony of Norka Country of Russia.

Died July 20th, 1952 McCook Nebr. Interned, McCook Cemetery, McCook Nebr.

Fathers name, John Kern, Mothers name, Louisa Houstein Kern.

Occupation, Former Railroad Employee.

Married July 11, 1897.

Children:

Pauline Kern, 1615, 4th Ave. Scotts Bluff Nebr. 69361

Sarah, deceased at age of 18 months.

Esther Kern Towner, husband Edwin Towner, 1217 E. 55th Ave. Spokane, Washington, 99203

Son, Lawrence (Larry) Edwin Towner. Wife, Yvonne Turner Towner. Daughter, Kristine Kay.

Lela Kern Schlidt, husband, Alex. Jr. Schlidt.

25 Shady Lane, Rt.I, Scotts Bluff, Nebraska, 69361

Children:

Sandra Schlidt Vandel. Husband, Jerry Vandel. 45 Gardner St. Longmont, Colo.

Children:

Rodney Schlidt
Debbie "
Vicki "
Greg. "

Everett (Bud) Kern, Wife June Larimar Culbertson, Nebraska. 69024

Children:

Kim Lorimar Kern Kathy Anne Kern Karel Jan Kern.







Back row; Alex Schildt Jr. Pauline Kern, Everett Kern, Esthern Towner, Edwin THE JOHN KERN FAMILY Front row; Lela Kern Schildt, John Kern, Elizabeth Kern, June Lerinor Kern,

JOHN CLAUS FAMILY

John Henry Claus, Born, June 12th, 1877, City of Sutton, Clay County, Nebraska.

Died Jan. 3rd, 1956, Interned Sutton, Nebr.

Occupation, meat cutter.

Fathers name, John Claus. Mother name, Margaret Traudt Claus.

Married Catherine Helzer, deceased.

Married Oct. 26, 1925, Verna Louise Crun.

Children by first wife:

Fredia Claus Hammond, Ochsner.
Janice Hammond.
A Son and Daughter by Ochsner
no names aviable.

Lula Claus Thompson, Overton Texas.

No children.

Arthur Claus, North Platt, Nebr.

Two daughters.

Fred Claus, Omaha Nebr.

Two Children.

WILLIAM H. CLAUS FAMILY

William H. Claus, Born September 18th, 1877, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebr.

Died March 8thm 1951, Interned Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Mausoleum, Holly Terrace, Glendale, Calif.

Occupation: Former owner and operator of the Eastern Live Poultry Brokage Business. Located at 927 Naomi, Los Angeles, Calif.

When he lived in the Midwest, and in his early years he was a Butcher and Susage maker. Latter on in York Nebraska his first business in Sutton Nebraska, known as the Star Meat Market. Brother-in-law, Henry Scheidemann was in partner with him.

In York Nebr he operated the meat department for Kilbourns. In 1920 he changed his occupation and bought and sold live poultry, for Mr. E. J. Sorensen of York Nebr. Then he did the same for the Nelson Brothers of Lincoln Nebr. This poultry was delivered live to the Eastern Markets of New York, Chicago, and several other places.

Then in 1927, late in the year he ventured out on his own to buy and ship live poultry to the New York and Los Angeles Markets. Late in 1928, he really had become acquainted and business increased greatly. In the fall of 1929 he advertised for his poultry in Western Nebraska, to his supprize he bought eight carloads of poultry, (freight train cars) and

reached the New York Market when the crash hit and lost all of it. In 1930 he moved his family to Los Angeles and established his business at the Naomi address, where his Sons, Bill and Ray joined him. During this time he held a seat on the Los Angeles Stock exchange, which he held for about twent years.

Fathers name, John Claus, Mothers name, Margaret Traudt Claus.

Married October, 17th, 1875. Wife, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus. Born, Jan. 27th, 1875, Colony of Norka, Country of Russia. Died, Sept. 13th, 1955, Interned Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Mauseleum, Holly Terrace,

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Elizabeth Lofink Scheidemann.

Children:

Glendale. Calif.

Elizabeth Claus Faiman
William H. Claus
Raymond W. Claus
Alinda Claus Baker deceased
Sarah Claus Balma
Hazel Claus White
Mabel Claus Halgren

SCHLEIGER FAMILY RECORD

Original spelling Von Schleiger. From the personal book of the Evangelical Reformed Church of Norka, Russia, Pastor Sterkel. 1886 date when our family departed from Russia for the United States.

Grandfather Adam (first name uncertain), Scheiger, birth not known.

Grandmother, Margaret Schleiger, Born Dec. 2nd, 1824.

Sons:

George, birthdate unknown. Wifes name unknown. Children, three sons.

John, Born May 1st, 1859. Wife, Katherine Mohe, Born Dec. 7th, 1863. No Children.

Father, Adam Schleiger, Born June 4thm 1846. Mother, Anna Maria (Schneider), Born Sept 8th Children: 1843.

John Henry, born Oct. 31, 1878 Norka Russia. Katherine Augusta Claus, born Jan 31, 1883.

John George, born Oct. 31, 1869, Norka Russia Katherine Geibelhaus, wife.

Katherine Elizabeth, born Oct. 30, 1871, Norka George Chambers, husband. Russia.

Henry, born Sept. 1st, 1873, Norka Russia. Elizabeth Sack, wife.

Elizabeth, born Mar. 11, 1883, Norka, Russia. Unmarried.

Christine, born, Sept. 28, 1887, Sutton Nebr. Arthur B. Bouton, husband.

FAMILY RECORD KATHERINE (CLAUS) & JOHN SCHLEIGER

Claus-Katherine Augusta (Kathie) Schleiger Born Jan. 31, 1883 Sutton Nebr. Died Dec. 25, 1964 Culbertson Nebr. Interned, Culbertson, Nebr.

Schleiger, John Henry, Married Katherine,
March 15, 1908.
Born Oct. 31, 1878, Norka Russia.
Died, Feb. 23, 1954, Culbertson.
Interned, Culbertson, Nebr.

Occupation, Mason by trade, Managed Hotels in Sutton and Culbertson Nebr.

Children:

John Harold Schleiger.
Born, Feb. 17, 1909, Sutton, Nebr.
Died, Jan. 6, 1939, Culbertson, Nebr.
Interned, Sutton Nebraska.

Anna Marie (Schleigher) Lehman, Bornm Aug. 28, 1911, Sutton Nebr.

Rogene Katherine (Schleiger) Turner. Born, July 25, 1921, Sutton, Nebr.

FAMILY RECORD ANNA MARIE (SCHEIGER) AND DORSEY LEHMAN

Schleiger, Anna Marie Born, August 28, 1911.

Lehman, Dorsey Owen, Married Anna Marie Nov. 3, 1935. Born, May 5, 1905, St. Edwards, Nebr.

Died June 24, 1966, Culbertson, Nebr. Interned, Clubertson, Nebraska. Address, Culbertson, Nebraska.

Children:

Leona Ann (Lehman) Gardner. Born Aug. 5, 1936.

Tom Gardner, husband.

Son, Jeffrey, Born Jan. 13, 1962. Address, 21827 Lanark St. Apt. 15, Canoga Park California.

Neal Owen Lehman, born, Dec. 23, 1937 Shirley (Buls) wife.

Sons: David Owen, born Aug 2, 1961 Scott Allen, born Oct. 27, 1964.

Address, 9780 W. 41 St. Wheatridge, Colo.

Richard De Wayne Lehman, Born, Dec. 15, 1939. Sharon (Parde) Wife.

Son, Michael Lee, born, Oct. 25, 1962 Address, 5350 Maitland Ave., Ontario, Calif.

FAMILY RECORD ROGENE (SCHLEIGER) AND EDDIE TURNER

Schleiger, Rogene Katherine Born, July 25, 1921

Turner, Eddie Freeman,
Born, Oct. 2, 1919, Cloverdale
Indiana.

Married, June 27, 1948.

Address, 7501 Robinson Way.
Arvada, Colo. 80002

Sons: Timothy Lee, Born, May 8th, 1949
Thomas John, Born, March 20, 1953.



ADAM CLAUS FAMILY

Adam Claus Born, March 10, 1886, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska. Died March 17, 1959, Interned in the Sutton cemetery, Sutton, Nebraska.

Occupation, Scientific Farmer.

Fathers name, John Claus. Mothers name, Margaret Traudt Claus.

Married March 15, 1908
Wife, Lena Rasby (orginal spelling Reisbeck).
Born, May 20, 1886, City of Sutton,
Clay County, State of Nebraska.
Died May 20, 1967, Interned in the
Sutton cemetery, Sutton, Nebraska.

Fathers name, William Reisbeck, Mothers name, Christina Reisbeck.

Children:

Floyd Claus, deceased Dec. 2,1946
Robert Claus "April 10, 1928.
Marguerite Claus Israelson
Jane Claus Yost
Edna Claus Cronin
Marcella Claus Eloe
Clayton Claus.

SUTTON NEWS, APRIL 9th, 1953



Mr. and Mrs. Adam Claus, who recently celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary

MARGUERITE CLAUS ISRAELSON FAMILY

Marguerite Christena Claus Israelson. Born, Nov. 23, 1908, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Adam Claus Mothers name, Lena Reisbeck Claus.

Address 1208 West 6th, St. Hastings, Nebr,

Married, Feb. 17, 1931 at Claus farm Home.
Fellmore County, Nebraska.
Husband, Ralph Andrew Israelson.
Born March 20, 1909, City of Saronville,
Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Occupation, Yard foreman of the Hastings
Railroad Yards, in the maintence
department for the C.B.& Q.Railroad.
Employed since 1926 with Burlington
Railroad.

Fathers name, Andrew Grant Israelson, Mothers name, Christina Backdahl Israelson.

Children:

Jerolyn Marguerite Israelson Tjarks. Deanna Kay Israelson Kruger. Gary Lee Israelson.

R. E. TJARKS FAMILY

Jerolyn Israelson Tjarks, Born, Sept. 11, 1934, City of Saronville, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Last known address, 6416 Frances St. Lincoln, Nebr.

Fathers name, Ralph Israelson.
Mothers name, Marguerite Claus Israelson.

Married March 15, 1953, Husband Robert Eugene Tjarks, Born, Oct. 26, 1930, City of Glenvil, Clay County, State of Nebr.

Fathers name, Albert Tjarks, Mothers name, Mary Rothfuss Tjarks.

Occupation, a machinist for Western Electric Of Omaha in the reel department.

Children:

Betty Jo Tjark,	Born,	Jan. 24,	1954
Janene Kay "	11	Jan. 13,	1955
Rebbecca Sue"	17	Nov. 28,	1956
		Sept.14,	1958
vario monoa	11	Sept.21,	1960
Dai booo Ba	11	July 10,	1963
Bradley Robert '	11 11	Mar. 18,	1966

KRNEST KRUHER FAMILY

Deanna Kay Israelson Kruger, Born, Dec. 9, 1936, City of Saronville Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, Glenvile Nebraska.

Fathers Name, Ralph Israelson, Mothers Name, Marguerite Claus Israelson.

Married Dec. 10, 1966, Husband, Ernest Kruger, Born, Feb. 20, 1936, Glenvile, Nebraska.

Parents, George and Ann Kruger, Glenvile.

Occupation, Manager of a Lumber Yard at Fairfield Nebr, & Stock feeder & breeder.

Children by previous marriage:
Christie Lynn Martin, Born, Oct. 8, 1955
Sandra Kay " Nov. 2, 1956
Stephen Michael " May 2, 1958
Michelle Marie " May 25, 1960
Jon Ralph " Nov.19, 1961

ISRAELSON FAMILY

Gary Lee Israelson, Born, Mar. 7, 1942, City of Denton Nebr. Lamcaster County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 128 No. 42nd St. Omaha, Nebr.

Fathers name, Ralph Israelson, Mothers name, Marguerita Claus Israelson.

Occupation, Floor Supervisor for Western Electric of Omaha in the relay department.

PAUL CRONIN FAMILY

Edna Claus Cronin, Born, Dec. 2, 1916, City of Sutton. Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Adam Claus, Mothers name, Lena Reisbeck Claus.

Address, 542 Trigood Dr., Casper Wyoming, 82601

Married May 21, 1938. Husband Paul Cronin, Born, April 12, 1906, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Occupation, retired from U.S. Gov't., (Internal Revenue Dept). Now Office manager for Joe's Office Machines.

Fathers name, D. J. Cronin, Mothers name, DeEtta May Cronin,

Children:

Michael Paul Cronin, Born, Sept. 25, 1946
Kathleen Ann Cornin, "Jan. 15, 1953
Mauree Sue Cronin, "Jan. 15, 1953.

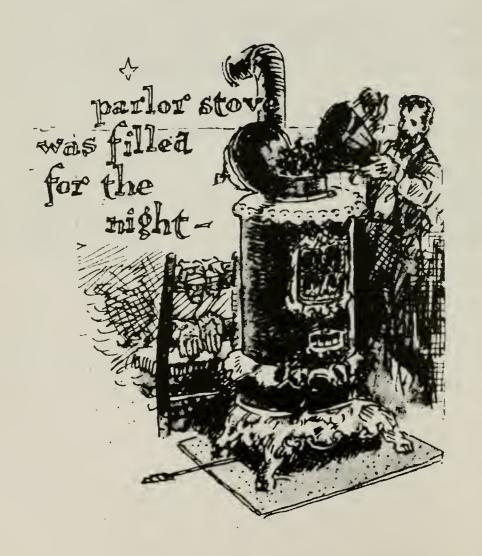
MICHAEL P. CRONIN

Michael Paul Cronin, Born Sept. 25, 1946, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Paul Cronin, Mothers name, Edna Claus Cronin.

Address, 759 So. Beverly, Lincoln, Nebraska

Married March 9th, 1968. Wife Judy Mulquin Cronin.



M. H. YOST SR. FAMILY

Jane Claus Yost, Jorn, May 23, 1921, City of Sutton, Jay County, State of Nebraska.

Pathers name, Adam Claus.

innesota, 55901.

Married, July 29, 1945.
Musband, Maynard Harry Yost Sr.
Born, Oct. 6, 1919, City of Sutton
May County, State of Nebraska.

Retired U.S. Air Force Lt. Col.

occupation, District Manager, Sales, Nolden Industrie, Printing & Business Forms. Inneapolis Minnesota.

'athers name, Harry F. Yost, iothers name, Esther Traudt Yost.

Children:

Kay Lucille Yost, Born July 25, 1947, City of Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebr. Student at Macalester, St. Paul Minnesota

Maynard Harry Yost Jr., Born, June 9, 1951 City of Topeka, State of Kansas.

W. M. ELOE FAMILY

Marcella Claus Elo, Born, Aug. 15, 1922, City of Sutton, Clay county, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Adam Claus, Mothers name, Lena Reisbeck Claus.

Address, 1261 Lorawood, LaHabra, Calif. 90631

Married, June 7, 1941.
Husband, William Miles Eloe,
Born, June 6, 1914, City of Grand Rapids,
Michigan.

Occupation, Teacher,

Children:

Margaret Jane, Born, Nov. 1945, Omaha Nebr.
John Adam, "Nov. 1947, ""
Kathryn Jane Eloe, "Sept.1949, ""
Student, Uni. of Calif. Santa Barbara, Calif.

GEORGE LANGE FAMILY

Margaret Jane Eloe Lange, Born, Nov. 1945, City of La Junta, Colo.

Fathers name, Howard Miles Eloe. Mothers name, Marcella Claus Eloe.

Address, 7903 Cole St. Downey, Calif.

Married, Oct. 1963, Husband, George Lange.

Children: Kenneth Lange, Born, Oct, 1964 Stuart Lange, "Sept.1967.

CLAYTON CLAUS FAMILY

Clayton Claus,
Born, June 7th, 1926, City of Sutton
Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, Sutton, Nebraska.

Fathers name, Adam Claus, Mothers name, Lena Reisbeck Claus.

Married Feb. 4th, 1950, Fillmore Nebr. Wife, Patricia Ann Reinsh Claus. Born, Dec. 8th, 1932, Fillmore, Nebr.

Parents: William & Margaret Reimsh, Shickly, Nebr.

Children:

Charles Clayton Claus Born, July 12,1950 Student at Kearney State College. Jeffrey Floyd Claus, Born, Oct. 30, 1952 David William June 1954 Donald Joseph 5, 1956 Mar. Dec. 6, Laura Sue 1960 11 Lynda Lu 11 June 30, 1962 11 11 Oct. 30, 1963 Joan Patricia

GEORGE CLAUS FAMILY

George Claus, Born Sept. 16, 1889, Sutton, Nebraska Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Died Jan. 3rd, 1949, Interned Sutton Nebr.

Occupation, Tavern Owner and Operator, and Grocery market manager.

Wife, Clara Nicoloí.

Fathers name, Fred Nicoloi.

Children, Beatta Claus Hartrum, Heinz. Husband, Carl Heinz.

Son, Ralph L. Claus, Wife, Lucile Watson.

Children: Patricia Claus DuBois
William Claus
Robert Claus
Cynthia Claus.





CLARA CLAUS SUTTON NEBRASKA

LOUIE CLAUS FAMILY

Louie Claus, Born, June 28, 1891, City of Stockham. Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Died, Oct. 28, 1950.
Interned, Imperial Cemetery, Imperial Nebr.

Occupation: Depot Agent for the Burlington Railroad at Imperial Nebraska, fromerly also at, Culbertson, Nebraska. He apprenticed at Roggen Colorado. 1921, agent at Atwood Kansas and Orleans Kansas. He served continuously as employee of the Burlington Railroad until his death.

Member of Methodist Church of Imperial Nebraska.

Member of the Lions Club.
Member of the Izaak Walton League.
Master Mason at Atwood Kansas.
Worshipful Master at Orleans Nebraska.
Member of the Purity Lodge, Number 198, A.M.
and A.F. of Imperial Nebraska.

Fathers name, John Claus, Mothers name, Margaret Traudt Claus.

Wife, Pauline Cyrian Claus. Born, Jan. 18, 1898, City of Kosice, Country of Czechoslovakia.

Fathers name, Paul Cyrain.
Born, 1865, Died 1913, Philadelphia, Penn.
Mothers name, Mary Metko Cyprian.
Born, 1861, Died 1933, Fort Morgan Colo.

Children: John Claus

Adam Claus Daniel Claus

Ruth Claus Newman

Marjorie Claus Goddard.

ADAM JAMES CLAUS

Adam James Claus, Born, July, 18, 1919, Fort Morgan Colorado.

Address, 7316 So. Oliver Ave. Minneapolis, Minn.

Education, Orleans High School, Orleans Nebr.

Service Record. World War II, European Theater, Invasion of France, Wounded in France. Awarded Purple Heart, 134 Infantry, 35 Div.

Fathers Name, Louie Claus. Mothers Name, Pauline Cyrian Claus.

Wife, Charlotte Hannibal Claus. Born, Dec. 15, 1924.

Children, Vicki Lee Claus, Born June 1949, Employed as secretary, Minneapolis Minn. Parents, Adam and Charlotte Lee.

JOHN P. CLAUS FAMILY

John Paul Claus, Born, Jan. 6, 1918, Fort Morgan Colorado.

Address Imperial, Nebraska.

Occupation, Johns' Recreation, Imperial Nebr.

Aducation, Orleans High School, Orleans Nebr. Business School, Chilicothe, Mo.

Fathers name, Louie Claus, Mothers name, Pauline Cyprian Claus.

Wife, Madaline Cruise Claus. Born, Aug. 4, 1919, Imperial Nebraska.

Parents, Tom and Kathryn Cruise.

Children,
David Claus, born, Sept. 30, 1935,
Serving in the Vietnam War.

Kathryn Sue Claus, Born, June 1949, Imperial, Nebr. Employed by United Air Line in Denver, Colorado.

Anthony Louis Claus, Born, July 21, 1943. Carmen Jill, Born, July 21, 1953.

DANIEL G. CLAUS PARRIEM

Daniel George Claus, Born, May 16, 1921, Culbertson, Hebraska.

Address, St. Petersburg Flordia.

, Education, Orleans High School, Orleans, Hebr.

Service Record, World War II, Air Force Pilot, Lasion Pilot, flying wounded over the Hump in Burma. Member of the Flying Tigers. Received distinguish flying cross and several other awards.

Fathers name, Louie Claus, Mothers name, Pauline Cyrian Claus.

Wife, Shirley Ann Wiley Claus. Born, Aug. 15, 1922, Imperial Nebr. Died, Aug. 13, 1967.

Second Wife, Ruth Eunice Claus.

Children, Daniel Claus, Born, 1958.



JOHN W. NEWMAN FAMILY

Ruth Virginia Claus, Born, Nov. 14, 1932, Atwood Kansas. Died, Dec. 9, 1954, Interned Riverside Cemetery, Imperial, Nebraska.

Education, Chase County High School.

Fathers name, Louie Claus. Mothers name, Pauline Cyprian Claus.

Husband, John Warren Newman, Born, May 31, 1920, Imperial Nebr. Graduated Chase County High School.

Service Record, World War II, European Theater.

Parents, John and Inez Cottrell Newman.

Children;

Nickolas Claus Newman, Born, May 13, 1938. Student at University of Nebr.

Teresa (Terri) Lynne Newman, Born, Dec. 18, 1949. Student at Kearney State College.

Stephan Wayne Newman, Born, May 26, 1951. Student, Chase County High School.

Second Marriage, August 16, 1958. Wife, Elsie Mae Lange Claus. Born, Oct. 30, 1924.

No Children.

JESS P. GODDARD FAMILY

Marjorie Elaine Claus Goddard. Born, Aug. 14, 1924, Atwood Kansas.

Address, Imperial, Nebraska.

Occupation, Hair Dresser.

Fathers name, Louie Claus. Mothers name, Pauline Cyprian Claus.

Husband, Jess Paul Goddard, Born, June 9, 1926, St. Joseph, Missouri.

Service Record, Coast Guard, World War II.

Fathers name, Harry Al. Goddard. Mothers name, Iva Yost Goddard.

Children,

Gregory Louie Goddard, Born, Dec. 2, 1948. Imperial, Nebraska. Student, School of Business, Accountant.

Kent Harry Goddard, Born, Sept. 29, 1950 Imperial Nebr. Freshman Student, Kearney State College, Kearney, Nebraska.



THE LOUIE CLAUS FAMILY, IMPERIAL NEBR.

Seated, John Claus, Jess Goddard, John Newman, and Adam Claus. Standing, Madge Claus, Pauline Claus, Elsie Newman, Margie Goddard and Charlotte Claus.

CONRAD O. CLAUS FAMILY

Conrad O. Claus, Born, June 10, 1894, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Died May 17, 1968, Denver Colorado. Interned Crown Hill Cemetery, Denver, Colorado.

Fathers name, John Claus, Mothers name, Margaret Traudt Claus.

Occupation, Former owner and Operator of Poultry and Egg Market.

Member of North Presbytrian Church, of Denver.
Member of Masonic Lodge, Paul Revere # 162.
Member of Eastern Star, Friendship Chapter
137, Denver, Colorado.

Wife, Millie Spahn Claus.

Born, Dec. 7, 1899, City of Laird,
State of Colorado.

Fathers name, George Spahn,
Mothers name, Elizabeth Kern Spahn.

Children:

Dale Claus,
Maurine Claus McNeice,
James Claus.



THE CONRAD O. CLAUS FAMILY

DALE CLAUS, MRS CLAUS, MR. CLAUS, MAURINE

CLAUS MCNEICE JAMES CLAUS

DALE CLAUS FAMILY

Dale William Claus, Born, June 5, 1917, City of McCook State of Nebraska.

Address, 14330 Farview Lane, Golden Colorado.

Occipation: Retired Business Man.

Fathers name, Conrad O. Claus, Mothers name, Millie Spahn Claus.

Married, Dec. 17, 1937, Englewood, Colo. Wife, Evelyn Marguerite Pantle Claus, Born, Dec. 26, 1917 City of Ordway, State of Colorado.

Fathers name, John C. Pantle, Mothers name, Jessie V. Vaugh.

Children:

Gayle Darlene Claus Shimpa. John Conrad Claus.

JOHN CONRAD CLAUS FAMILY

John Conrad Claus, Born, Dec. 15, 1940, City of Denver, State of Colorado.

Fathers name, Dale William Claus, Mother name, Evelyn Marguerite Pantle Claus.

Address, 13770 No. Crabapple Rd. Golden Colorado.

Occupation: General Manager & Vice-President of Ammunition Corporation of America.

Married, Wife, Georgia Lee Malnati Claus. Born, Feb. 14, 1943, City of Denver, State of Colorado.

Fathers name, George Davies, deceased. Mothers name, Bernice Oliver Malnati.

Children:

John David Claus, Born Oct. 28, 1961, Denver.

Jeffrey Dale Claus, Born June 2, 1965, Denver.

RONALD F. SHIMPA FAMILY

Gayle Darlene Claus Shimpa, Born, Aug. 27, 1939, City of Green Valley, State of California.

Fathers name, Dale William Claus, Mothers name, Evelyn Marguerite Pantle Claus.

Address, Evergreen, Colorado. Service Record, Mr. Shimpa, in Army Reserves.

Married, June 17, 1961, Denver Colorado. Husband, Ronald Fayette Shimpa, Born, May 11, 1940, Fort Collins, Colorado.

Occupation, Plant Foreman and Treasurer of Ammunition Corporation of America. Located at Denver, Colorado.

Fathers name, Fayette Shimpa Mothers name, Maxine Mathiews Shimpa.

Children: Ronald F. Shimpa.
Rodney L. Shimpa.
Sandra K. Shimpa.

RONALD SHIMPA FAMILY

Ronald Jay Shimpa,
Born, Mar. 3, 1964, City of Denver, Colorado.

Wife, Elaine Evelyn Shimpa, Born, Dec. 26, 1965, Denver, Colorado.

Andrew Len Shimpa, Born, Mar. 26, 1968, Denver, Colorado.

WINSTON G. MCNEICE FAMILY

Maurine Claus McNeice, Born, July, 13, 1915, City of Culbertson, State of Nebraska.

Address, 522 North 8th, DeQueen Arkansas, 71832

Fathers name, Conrad O. Claus, Mothers name, Millie Spahn.

Husband, Winston George McNeice, Born, Dec. 7, 1912, City of Culbertson, State of Nebraska.

Occupation, Poultry Processing Plant Manager.

Fathers name, Joseph McCeice, Mothers name, Rena Brown McNeice.

Children: Marvin George McNeice.
Robert Dale McNeice.
Born, Mar. 15, 1952, Scottsbluff
Nebraska.



JAMES CLAUS FAMILY

James Claus, Born, May 27th, 1931 City of McCook, State of Nebraska.

Address, 5115 William Fork Trail, Box 104, Boulder Colorado.

Occupation, Construction Bldg. of Homes etc.

Fathers name, Conrad O. Claus.
Mothers name, Millie Spahn Claus.

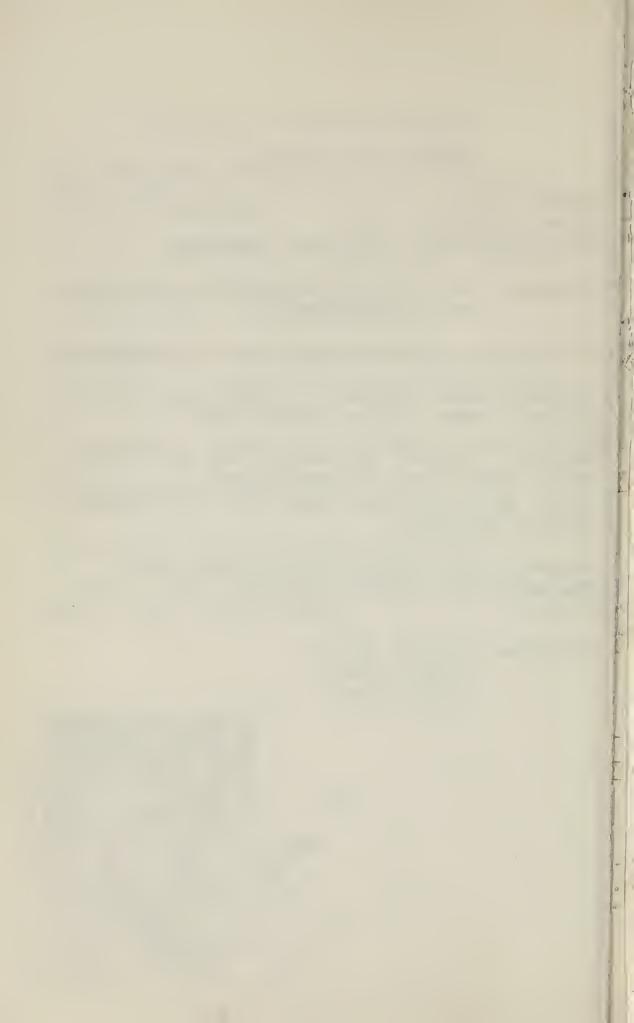
Married, Denver, Colorado, Jan 2nd, 1953. Wife, Carol Jean Lingren Claus. Born, September 29, 1932, City of Denver. Denver Colorado.

Fathers name, John Lingren, Deceased.

Mothers name, Dorthy Lingren, 3150 Gay St.

Wheatridge, Colo. 80214.

Children, Sherry Claus, Jerry Claus, Cathy Claus.



MARVIN G. MCNEICE FAMILY

Marvin George McNeice, Born, Sept. 27, 1935, City of McCook, State of Nebraska.

Address, 250 Cloverland Drive.
Rochester, New York, 14610.

Occupation: Market Research, Eastman Kodak Co.

Fathers name, Winston George McNeice. Mothers name, Maurine Claus McNeice.

Wife, Hedwigh Padolski McNeice. Born, Oct. 16, 1932, City of Swayerville, State of Pennsylvania.

Fathers name, Anthony Padolski, Nothers name, Sally Padolski.

Children: William George McNeice, Born, April 23, 1960, Fort Blvoin, Virginia.

> Barbara Lynn McNeice Born, December 22, 19___, Rochester, New York.

ADAM CLAUS FAMILY

Adam Claus,
Born, June 3rd, 1870, Colony of Norka
Russia.
Died April, 18, 1956, Interned, Sutton Cemetery,
Sutton Nebraska.

Fathers Name, Johannas Claus Sr. Mothers Name, Marcada ? Claus.

Occupation: Former employee of Union Pacific Railroad.

Wife, Dora M. Clouse Claus.
Born, August 18, 1897, Colonly, of Norka
Country of Russia.
Died Nov. 25, 1931, Grand Island, Nebr.
Interned, Sutton Cemetery, Sutton Nebraska.

Fathers name, Conrad Clouse, Mothers name, Mary Miller or Mueller Clouse.

Children: Leah Claus Ramsthel.
Harry Claus.
Paul Claus.

RALPH RAMSTHEL FAMILY

Leah Claus Ramsthel.

Husband, Ralph Ramsthel. Died July 16, 1959, Interned, Grand Island Cemetery, Grand Island, Nebraska.

one Son: Rolland Ramsthel.

Address, 1222 North Eddy St. Grand Island 68801.

HARRY CLAUS FAMILY

Harry Claus,

Occupation: Stereotype Operator for the Grand Island Dailly Independent Newspaper.

Wife Laura, retired after 40 years with the local telephone Company.

Address: 909 West First St. Grand Island Nebr.

PAUL CLAUS FAMILY

Paul Claus, Occupation, Watch & Clock Repair Shop.

Wife, Lenore Traudtman Claus. Occupation, Producer of Creative Ceramics.

Children: Judith Claus Sorenson
Paul Jr. Claus.
Terry Claus.

Strange Coincidence

Lifelong Parallel Ends

Two Nebraska men whose lives were strangely parallel died Wednesday within a few hours of each other.

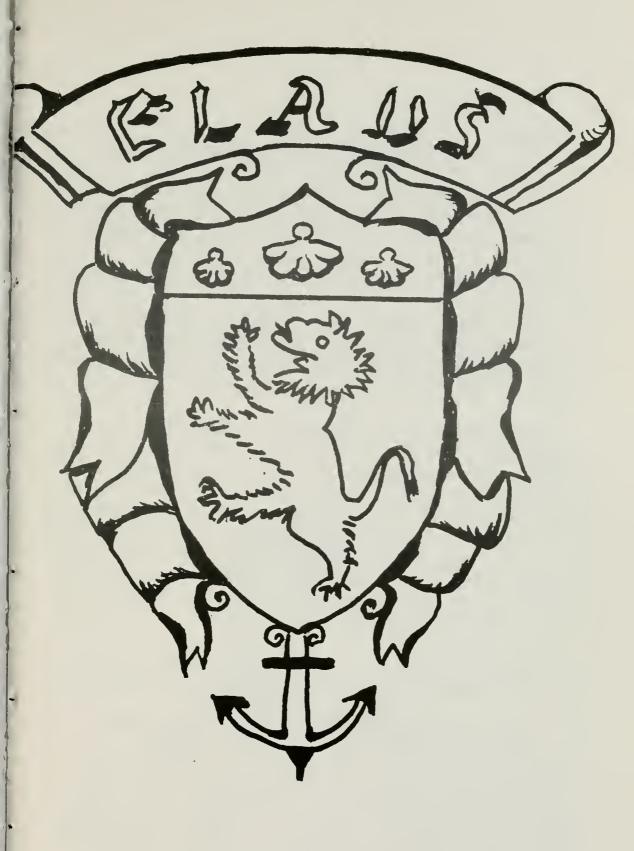
The two were Adam M. Claus of Grand Island and Henry H. Troudt of Superior.

The two were born in the same year in the same town in Russia. Mr. Claus was born in June of 1870 and Mr. Troudt in July of 1870, both at Norka, Russia.

They came to the United States on the same ship in 1876, and they settled in Nebraska towns about 12 miles apart, Mr. Claus in Sutton and Mr. Troudt in Stockham.

They were lifelong friends until about 20 years ago when they lost track of each other after Mr. Claus moved to Grand Island and Mr. Troudt moved to Superior. But they were reunited this year after Mr. Troudt's grandson, Don Troudt, moved to Grand Island and had made it a point to determine the whereabouts of Mr. Claus.

The strange parallel continued when the two men died on the same day within hours of each other and it was to be continued further this afternoon when funeral services for the two were to be conducted only an hour apart—each in a Presbyterian Church.



THE CLAUS ARMORIAL SHIELD

The Claus name is a North German and Dutch surname which developed from the nickname Claus, shortened from the ancient Greek orgin baptismal name Nicolaus or Nicolas, meaning "Man of Victorious Army!"

The Claus Armorial Shield, granted in Medieval Holland. It is black, shield centered with a small gold shield decorated with a Rampart Lion.

The meaning of Heraldic Charges:
LION-this "King of Beasts," is used as an emblem of strength, courage and generosity as well as power and royalty. His Noble posture is to be erect in rampart position. A properly described arms achievement will contain the color which makes up the arms background and charges. They are simple and few, but follow the precise rules set down centuries ago.

BLACK-SABLE, the fur of the sable, a color associated with night and serenity.

GOLD-is highly significant of truth, majesty, honor, and more important, a truimph of faith in times of adversity. Gold: this tincture originates from the excellent metal and attributes a supposing valor to the bearer. There are many important symbolic implication in the metal gold.

When gold is used as the predominat color, it implies heaven, purity and virtue because of the abundant light which it reflects. Many royal arms bear gold as the background color both in the shield and the supporter.

The shape of the Claus Shield is that of the earliest bearer of Heraldic cognizance dating back to the year of 1150. the shield is shaped like a flat iron, conforming to the strigent rules of Heraldry. The shield is exclusive to the name.



SAINT NICHOLAS THE SANTA CLAUS

BY Elizabeth Claus Faiman

Since our name "Claus", stems from Nicholas, I want to include the history of the children's most thrilling saint, Santa Claus. Especially endeared among the Germans.

It goes back to the third century of the Christian era and to a real man, Nicholas, Bishop of Myra.

Nicholas was the son of a high offical in the town of Pataro. Very early he became known for his Christian piety. Through the centuries, stories of Saint Nicholas' deeds of kindness have become legends about miracles. During the middle ages, Nicholas was the patron saint of several countries. In England alone, 376 Churches were dedicated to him. He became the special guardian of children, maidens, scholars, sailors, and theives. He also was the patron saint of the poor; and the doves of pawnbrokers shops symbolizes the gold gifts of the Saint Nicholas, because pawnbrokers are moneylenders to the poor.

Our Saint Nicholas day, December 6th, at old Sarum, now Salisbury, England, a boy used to be elected bishop to rule until Holy Innocents' Day, December 28, in memory of the "Boy-Bishop," Nicholas. This custom spread to many English Cathedrals and schools, but by the 15th century it was suppressed by the Roman Catholic Church

On Saint Nicholas Day in Greece and Russia, children would find gifts in their shores, They pictured Saint Nicholas as wearing the clothing of a Bishop, a brown robe trimmed with white fur, and walking beside or riding a white donkey.

In course of time, Saint Nicholas found his way into Germany, and the Low Countries, where he was called San Nikolaas. When the Dutch settled New Amsterdam in America, they brought San Nikolaas with them. After the English had conquered New Amsterdam, they heard of him through their children who played with the Dutch youngsters. In conversation between English children and English parents, dear old San Nikolaas became "Santy Klos", but he remained the benefactor of childhood and the source of gifts at Christmas time.

Now "St. Nick", is Santa Claus, who lives at the North Pole and sails through the air in a sleigh to bring gifts to good little girls and boys.

W.H. CLAUS FAMILY

William H. Claus, Born, Sept. 18,1877, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Died March 8th, 1951, Alhambra, Calif. Interned, Forest Lawn, Memorial Park, Mausoleum, Holly Terrace, Glendale, Calif.

Occupation, Former owner and operator of the Eastern Live Poultry Brokage Business, Located at 927 Naomi, Los Angeles, Calif.

When he lived in the Midwest, and in his early years, he was a butcher and susage maker. His first business was in Sutton, Nebraska, later on took his brother-inlaw, Henry Scheidemann into the business, in the fall of 1908. (Photo enclosed in the Family Records of H. Scheidemann. The business was known as "THE SUTTON STAR MEAT MARKET."

When World War I, broke out a great deal of pressure was on the German speaking people, so the family was moved to York Nebraska; Where Mr. Claus, was employed by the Kilbourns' Market, managing the Meat Department. Mr. H. Scheidemann continued to operate the Star Meat Market in Sutton Nebraska.

In 1920 Mr. Claus changed his occupation and bought and sold live poulty for Mr. E. J. Sorensen, of York Nebraska, then two years later he did the same kind of service, working for Nelson Brothers of Lincoln, Nebr.

.This poultry was delivered live to the Eastern Markets. That is New York, New Jersey and Chicago. Occasionally to San Francisco and Los Anfeles.

1927 he established himself in his own business of live poultry. Still selling to the same markets of the East and West. Late in 1928 he had become well known, and Jusiness increased. In 1929 he advertised for live poultry in Western Nebraska, to his supprise he bought not one or two carloads, as usual, but eight carloads, (freight train cars) and was so excited he had a photograph taken of this first time experience. By the time he reached New York Market, the Stock Market had crashed and he lost all of his investment. Being out in the Rural Area, with no contact, as what the market was doing or fluctuating, he suffered greatly from lack of communication. Newspapers were five to seven days old upon arrival from the East. Very few phones, almost before the day of radio.

In 1930 He moved his family to Los Angeles, and established the business during the next two years, at the Naomi address, where Sons, Bill and Ray Claus operate it today.

During this time he held a seat on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange. Which helped him to control the price for his own business. At the same time of his death a very commending artice was written in the Stock Exchange artice was written in the Stock Exchange had helped to control the market in Los Angeles.

Fathers name, John Claus, Mothers name, Margaret Traudt Claus. Immigrant to U.S. A. from Russia, June, 1874.

Married October 17, 1905, Sutton, Nebraska Wife, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus. Born, Jan. 27, 1880, Colony of Norka Russia. Died Sept. 13, 1955, Interned Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Mauseleum, Holly Terrace, Glendale, California. Immigeant to U.S.A. from Russia, June 1899.

Children:

Elizabeth Claus Faiman.
William H. Claus.
Raymond W. Claus.
Alinda Claus Baker, deceased, 1967.
Sally Claus Balma.
Micki Claus Halgren.
Hazel Claus White.





MR. & MRS WILLIAM H. CLAUS, OCTOBER, 1905.

MR. AND MRS WILLIAM CLAUS FAMILY

Front row of children; Billy Claus, Carol Claus Morry Faiman, Barbara Claus,

Second row seated; Sally Claus Balma, Orleta Haas Claus, Micki Claus Halgren, Ruth Bowman Claus, Beverly Claus, Donny Faiman, Bobby Faiman. Lindy Claus Baker, Hazel Claus White. Mother, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus, Elizabeth Claus Faiman,

Back row standing; Father, William H. Bill Claus, Rudy Faiman, Lee Halgren, Ray Claus, Claus, Wally Baker, Rod White, Maurice Balma.

Roger Claus is on his Mothers lap, Ruth Claus.



DAD AND MOM PLAYING DOMINOS.

MR. & MRS WILLIAM H. CLAUS.

W. H. CLAUS

William Henry Claus. Born, April 11, 1909, City of Sutton. Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 215 DeAnza, San Gabriel, Calif.

Occupation, Wholesale Poultry Business, Owner and Partner, since 1930. Located at 927 Naomi, Los Angeles, California.

Education, Graduated York Nebr. High School, 1926, Three years, Chemical Engineering at the University of Nebr.

Member of :

Master of Granada Masonic Lodge #608, Alhambra, California 1954.

Associate Guardian Job Daughters' Bethel

#210, Alhambra, California, 1956.

Patron, Granada Eastern Star, \$442,

Alhambra, California, 1958.

Member of Pasadena Scottish Rite of the Al. Macka Shrine.

Fathers name, William H. Claus, Mothers name, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus. Mother Immigrant to U.S.A. from Russia, 1899.

 Education, Graduated, Jackson High School, University Place, Nebraska, 1929.

Offices held:

President of Ramona School Parent-Teacher Association, Alhambra, California 1949.
Guardian Council Job Daughter, Bethel

#210.

Member of San Gabriels Womans' Club. Member of Arcadia Methodist Hospital 'Auxiliary.

Honory Life Member of Ramona, Martha Baldwin and Northup Parent-Teachers' Assoc. Member of DeMolay Mothers Club.

Children:

Three children all born at Alhambra Community Hospital.

William H. Claus III, Born, May 14, 1934. Beverly Jean Claus Sherpard, (Juan) Barbara Jane Claus Ammend, (Richard) Daughters Twins, born, March 22, 1939.

All three Children were dedicated at Alhambra First Methodist Church as infants.

Mr. & Mrs W. H. Claus and daughter Beverly are members of San Gabriel Methodist Church.

R.W.CLAUS FAMILY

Raymond Walter Claus, Born, June 25, 1911, City of Sutton, Clay Countym State of Nebraska.

Address 1100 South Fourth St. Alhambra, California.

Occupation, Wholesale Poultry Business, Owner and Partner, since 1930, at 927 Naomi, Los Angeles, Calif.

Fathers name, William H. Claus, Mothers name, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus. Mother, Immigrant to U.S.A. June 1899.

Married Oct. 5, 1934, Los Angeles, Calif. Wife, Ruth N. Bowman Claus, Born, March 17, 1913, City of Mancos, State of Colorado.

Fathers name, Oliver Bowman, Mothers name, Minnie Reid Bowman.

Children:

Carol Claus Helmers, Rodger Claus, Dorothy Claus Beckett.

Tracey Claus. Born, October 5, 1946
City of Alhambra,
Los Angeles County,
State of California.

E.D.HELLMERS

Carol Lenore Claus Hellmers, Born, Nov. 30, 1938, City of Alhambra, Los Angeles, County, State of California.

Address, 68,-64th Place, Long Beach, Calif.

Education, Attended University of Redlands et Redlands Calif., University of Hawaii, Honolulu. Graduated from Long Beach State College, Long Beach, California.

Fathers name, Raymond Walter Claus, Mothers name, Ruth N. Bowman Claus.

Married Nov. 6th, 1960, Alhambra, Calif. Husband, Emil Donald Hellmers, Born, July 28, 1933, City of Highland Park, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Occupation, Engineer, Structural Engineer, Harbor Department, San Pedro, California. Office address, Port of Los Angeles, 255 West 5th, San Pedro, California.

Education, San Jose State College, Graduate. San Jose, California.

Service Record: in the Reserves, 6 months
Active Duty. Serial No.#19597986-1957-1958.

Fathers name, Emil D. Hellmers,
Mothers name, Grayce Horman Hellmers.
Father, E. D. Hellmers, born, July 28, 1903
Steinhausen, Germany, Immigrated to U.S.A. 1921.

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BY DICK KIDSON

Roger Claus, who runs one of the poultry stands at the Farmers Market. says this is the season when some silly birds fly south and the wily hunter, having observed this peculiar custom, snatches up his fowling piece and heads for the duck blinds or whatever their vantage points are called, in hopes of intercepting the foolish fowl. (Serves the creatures right, too, everyone knows you come TO Southern California for the winter, you don't LEAVE here.)

Well, Roger is pretty wily himself, so he's going to hold a sale next Tuesday through Saturday. He has observed that some hunters are blitzed (a gin rummy term that means the same in hunting circles-you didn't score a single point.) Whether you didn't hear the alarm clock go off and got there too late or you're just a lousy shot makes no difference to Roger. If he isn't too busy he'll listen to your sad tale as he hands you a goose, mallard duck, guinea hen, squab or whatever else you claim got away.

A very conscientious fellow is Roger. He's examined each bird on the hoof (or is it claw?) and guarantees that it is top quality, whether you prefer the big, broadbreasted beauties or the small broadbreasted ones.

For those who can't tell one bird from another, Roger has thoughtfully commissioned artist George Hernandez to create a sixfoot painting showing a pheasant, goose, mallard duck, guinea hen and squab in living color that rivals the NBC peacock. Hernandez used to be associated with the Farmers Market, a coincidence that may or may not be significant.

Anyway, take home some extra poultry and put them in your freezer for those special occasions when you want to improve your friends or kiss and make up with your wife.

At Roger Claus' Poultry Shop and Art Gallery at FARMERS MARKET, 3rd & Fairfax, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

R.H. CLAUS FAMILY

Rodger Howard Claus, Born, July 15, 1940, City of Alhambra, Los Angeles County, State of California.

Address, 1760 So Orange Dr. Monterey Park, California.

Occupation, Retail Poultry booth in the Farmers' Market, in Los Angeles. Known as the Roger Clauses' Poultry Shop. In the Art Gallery at Farmers' Market, Located at 3rd street, and Fairfax.

Education, Alhambra High School, East Los Angeles City College, East Los Angeles, Calif.

Service, two years in the Army, stationed at Japan, in Secret Service.

Fathers name, Raymond Walter Claus. Mothers name, Ruth N. Bowman Claus.

*Married, Feb.10, 1962.
Wife, Barbara E. Reed Claus,
Born, Oct. 27, 1943, City of Bellevue,
County of Alleghny, State of Pennsylvania.

Education, Alhambra High School, Alhambra, Calif.

Fathers name, Bertram Spangler Reed, deceased. Mothers name, Marjorie Mildred McAtee, Reed, Musati.

Children: Teresa Rae Claus, Born, Aug. 12, 1963
Sandra Elizabeth Claus Born,
November, 14, 1964.
Diane Lenore Claus, Born Jan. 21 1969.

W. R. BECKETT FAMILY

Dorothy Ruth Claus Beckett, Born, June 14, 1952, City of Monterey Park, Los Angeles, County; State of California.

Address, 1575 Lily Ave. ElCajon, Calif.

Fathers name, Raymond Walter Claus. Mother name, Ruth N. Bowman Claus.

Married, September 23, 1961 in Alhambra, Calif. Husband, William Randall Beckett, Mothers name, Irene Margaret Beckett. Married Jan. 24, 1929, Los Angeles, Calif.

Occupation, Assistant Chief Merchandizer of Produce, in Market Basket Market in ElCajon.

Children: Scott Randal Beckett, Born, 9/20/62.

Julie Dee " 5/5/64.

Renne' LeeAnne " 2/25/68.

R.A.FAIMAN FAMILY

Elizabeth Claus Faiman, Born, March 30, 1907, Cityof Sutton -Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, Space 43, 12700 Elliott, El Monte, Calif. 91732.

Occupation, At present Gift Shop Manager, at the City of Hope Medical Center, Duarte Calif. Former director of Volunteer Services, at City of Hope Medical Center. Program Director for City of Alhambra Recreation, and also former Executive Director of the Girls Club of Pasadena Calif.

Member of Wesleyan Service Guild at the United Methodist Church of El Monte, Calif. Member and past president of Zonta Club of Santa Anita Area. One of the citizen that a biography was written about and published. "The Documentary Book, The Historical Volume, and reference works, published 1962". Volume I, page 594.

Fathers name, William H. Claus, Mothers name, Elizabth Scheidemann Claus.

Married, June 19, 1927, York, Nebraska. Husband, Rudolph A. Faiman, Born, Dec. 12, 1901, City of Clarkson, Colfax County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Anton Faiman, Mothers name, Anna Koza, Faiman. Occupation, Former employee, of A. J. Karls of Clarkson, Nebr. Former owner and operator of Grocery Markets in York, Nebr., San Gabriel, and Las Vegas, Nebada. Also 12 years in the Eastern Live Poultry Business of the Claus Family. Retired 1955.

Both are members of the United Methodist Church of El Monte, California.

Children, Robert Lee Faiman.
Donald Gene Faiman.
Morris Dean Faiman.



W.C.BAKER FAMILY

Alinda Margaret Claus Baker, Born, August 6, 1913, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska. Died, June 13, 1967, Interned at Pacific Crest Cemetery, Redondo Beach, Calif.

Fathers name, William H. Claus, Mothers name, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus.

Husband, Waldo Clare Baker, Born, March 11, 1903, City of Milford, County of Vermillion, State of Illinois.

Address, 132 Hermosa Ave., Hermosa Beach, Calif.

Occupation, Dealer, Auto Sales, Known as Wally Baker Marina Auto Sales, 1045 Pacific Coast Highway, Hermosa Beach,

Education, Eight years, Tolono, Illinois.

Fathers name, Harve Baker, Mother name, Harriett, Hattie Poe Baker.

Children: Ronald D. Baker, Born, Oct. 11, 1944, City of Los Angeles, Calif.

Education, Graduate, Redondo High School.

Occupation, Mechanic at Northrop Corporation.

Sports Commissioner of Northrop Corporation Enployees, 1968.

Has proved to be very creative, Northrop awared him the following recognition:

July 1966 Improved Drilling Method.

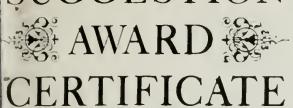
August 1966, Changed Assembly Method.

December 1966, Added an extention to the Jig.

Is a Sports Car enthusiast and Drag Racer. Operator of a Sport Fishing Barge out of Redondo Harbor on weekends.

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M. J. BALMA FAMILY

Sally Marie Claus Balma, Born, June, 26th, 1915, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 3301 Viscount Street, Alhambra, Calif.

Fathers Name, William H. Claus, Mothers Name, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus.

Occupation, Beautician.

Married Sept. 23, 1939, Mission Inn, River side, California. Husband, Maurice J. Balma. Born, Bunker Hill Hospital, Los Angeles, Calif.

Occupation, Supervisor and Blue Print Instructor for Southern Pacific Railroad, Los Angeles, California.

Children, Lawrence Maurice Balma.

L.M.BALMA FAMILY

Lawrence Maurice Balma, Born, November, 22, 1944, City of Pasadena, Los Angeles County, State of California.

Education, Fremont Elmentary School, Alhambra High School, Pasadena City College, East Los Angeles College, and San Diego Mesa in San Diego, California.

Occupation, Telephone Company Lineman, Jan. 65, to Feb. 68. Presently a Studeny.

Address, 1470 Grand Ave. Pacific Beach, Calif.

Married, Sept. 19, 1964, Monteicito, Calif. Wife, Mary Florence Balma, Born, May 25, 1946, City of San Francisco, State of California.

Children, Laura Marie Balma, Born, June 25, 1926, City of Alhambra, Los Angeles County, State of California.

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Larry Balma, received the Boy Scout Eagle Rank in December, 1958, and Boy Scout Honor medal, for saving a life at the risk of his own.

He was awared the Bronz Medal and five hundred dollars, as one of 27 persons cited by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission for Act of Bravery.

Alhambra Boy Scout Awarded Organization's 'Honor Medal ALHAMBRA — An Alhambra

Eagle Scout, Larry Balma, has been decorated with Scouting's highest award, the "Honor Medal" for saving a life at the risk of his own.

Balma, is the son of Mrs. and Mrs. Maurice J. Balma, 3301 Viscount Street

Judge William E. Fox, President of the San Gabriel Valley Valley Council, presented Larry with the Honor Medal with the following citation

"Lawrence Balma was swimming with Ervin R. Nichols, Jr. at Manhattan Beach, California, on March 1. 1963. There was a strong undertow and riptide. As a huge wave came through and tore the surfboards from their hands, they started to swim for shore. Lawrence saw Ervin go under and went to his aid A moment later the drowning boy was on top of Lawrence pulling both of them under.

"As Ervin blacked out, Lawrence placed his left arm around the boy's chest and treaded water in a semi-forward motion. He could not swim in a prone position because Eivin's body hung lump and did not float. Finally Lawrence touched bottom and looked at his companion, whose mouth and eyes were wide open. He started slapping the victim's face and yelling, and felt reassured when Ervin finally groaned. Lawrence dragged him up the beach calling for help as



Gets Honor Medal

loudly as he could. The life guard came and found the rescued boy cold, still, and unconscious. They gave oxygen to Ervin, who was some in a semi-conscious condition. The rescuer went with the victim on the lifeguard truck to the main station. They were taken from there by ambulance to the South Bay, Community Hospital ax miles away. They were still giving oxygen to Ervin when they arrived at the hospital." Balma is currently a student

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at the Pasadena City College joring in life science. He attend ed elementary schools in the A hambra area, and was gradual ed from the Alhambra High School in 1962 with a major n science and math. He has been active in Scouting in Cub Pc 216 and later in Scout Troop 216 of th Fremont Youth Center of which Mr. Vance Collett was the Scoutmaster

Larry received his Eagle rank Ma in December of 1958 and present a member of the Knigh of Dunamis, which is the Each Scout fraternity. His hobbies in clude surfing, photography, art and music.

Alhambra Youth Wins Carnegie Hero Prize

Alhambra youth today was named as one of 27 persons cited by the Carnegie Rero Fund Com-

erission for sets of bravery.

Lawrence Belima, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Balma, 3301 Viscount St., won the award of a brense medal and \$500 as a reault of saving the life of friend Ervin B. Nichols Jr., 21, of Areadia, while the two were surfing off Manhattan Beach on March 1, 1963.

ALHAMBRA - A 19-year-old | fatigued and fell from his board. Balma struggled to keep his companion from drowning and pulled him 125 feet to shallow water where he administered artificial respiration to his unconscious friend. Life guards were summoned and Nichols' life was aaved.

Earlier this year, Balma was given the Boy Scout Honor Medal for Heroic Action at the risk of his own life for the same deed.

A graduate of Alhambra High While surfing in rough seas 175 School in 1962, Balma now atfeet off shore, Nichols became tends East Los Angeles College.

SECTION 24.

ROGER WHITE FAMILY

Hazel Martha Claus White, Born, Sept 10, 1917, City of York, York County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 1000 So. 6th, Street, Alhambra, Calif.

Occupation, Beautician.

Fathers name, William H. Claus, Mothers name, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus.

Married, July 22, 1939, Husband, Laurence Roger White.

Children: Dennis Ray White, Terry Martin White.

NOTE: Refer to the White Family for additional information, elswhere in the book.

MICKI CLAUS FAMILY

Mabel Pauline Claus Halgren, Born, Nov. 5th, 1920, City of York, York County, State of Nebraska.

Occupation, Beautician.

Member of San Marino's Theta Sigma Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority.

Girl of the year, May 1965, in the Epsilon, Sigma Alpha Chapter.

Children, Sharon Lee Halgren Bulley, Husband, Douglas Bulley.

Diane Lynn Halgren, Born, May 11, 1940, City of Pasadena Los Angeles, County, State of Calif.



MICKI CLAUS HALGREN
SHARI HALGREN BULLEY
DIANE HALGREN



QUEEN DIAME HALGREN

Diane Lynn Halgren, Crowned Queen For the City of San Gabriel, California December 1967

FAIMAN FAMILY

by

Joseph A. Kucera

Antonin Fajman, Wife, Framtiska Holec Faijman, From Srety, near Policka, Bohemia, Czechoslovakia.

Children: Antonie Fajman.

Frantiska Fajman.

Anton Faiman.

Frantisek Fajman.

Rose Fajman.

Josefa Faiman. Twin

Anna Fajman. Emilie Fajman.

Antonie Faiman, Husband, Jan. Kucera.

Children: Jan. Kucera.

Deceased

Frantisek Kucera.

Josefa Kucera, Kadlec. Emilie Kucera, Kastanek.

Adolf Kucera. Deceased

Josef Kucera.

Ruzena Kucera, Padour

Blazena Kucera, Musilak, Deceased

Lodislar Kucera. Miloslav Kucera. Rose Fajman, Deceased. Husband Josef Faiman, Deceases. Parents of ten children.

Josefa Fajman Deceased. Husband, Josef Knotek, Deceased. Parents of four sons and one daughter.

Anna Fajman, deceased. Husband, Antonin Machacet, Deceased. Parents of two daughters and one son.





ANTON FAIMAN
Sister Frantiska Faiman and
her daughter Mollie



ANTON FAIMAN
In a army uniform, age 15.

A. FAIMAN FAMILY

Adolf Faiman Frantiska Faiman.

Children: Emma Faiman Ruzicka,

Husband, Anton Ruzicka, deceased.

Children: Melvin Ruzicka

Wife, Viola Ruzicka.

Address: Oneil, Nebraska.

Evelyn Ruzicka Petr, Husband, Jerome Petr. Address, 8865 Izard, Omaha, Nebr.

Children: Jerry Petr.
Joan Petr.

Irene Ruzicka,
Address, 502 W. Louise, Grand Island
Nebr.

Frantiska Faiman, deceased. Husband Adolph Faiman

Children: Adolph C. Fajman, Clarkson Nebr.
Emma Faiman Ruzicka, Deceased.
Emilie, (Mollie) Faiman Hahn, Deceased

Mollie Faiman Hahn, Deceased.
Husband Arthur Hahn, Clarkson, Nebr.
Childrem: Lloyd Hahn, 1036 Yellowstone Ave.
Alliance, Nebraska.
Wife, Irma Janda Hahn,
Children: Terry Hahn.



MR. & MRS ADOLF FAIRAN

1968



It is said that America is a "melting pot" — that once upon a time people from all parts of the world alighted here and "melted" into one fluid society.

Well, Clarkson is a lump that didn't quite melt. A little of the European has been preserved here. It does not make us less than American — it makes us Czech-American. Once a year every Swede, Irishman, Texan, Italian and German in town becomes Czech for a few days, and we invite the whole world to join in the fun. It reminds us of what an American really is: a fun-loving modern individualist with roots in both the soil of America and in the soils of other lands.

So while you're here, do what our Czech ancestors did away back when: eat the festive foods, drink the traditional drinks, and be merry by enjoying the customs, games, music and dances of Old Czechoslovakia! Or just watch, eating an All-American hot dog or hamburger!

And if someone in a colorful costume opproaches you and says, "Vitame vas," don't be alarmed — it will be one of us saying,

"WE WELCOME YOU"

THE Collect County Flore

Clarkson, Nebraska, Wednesday, June 26, 1963

CZECH ARTS FAIR— Beginning at 1:00 P. M. on Saturday and Sunday, many of the traditional Czech arts are being exhibited and demonstrated in the V.F.W. Opera House. This fair is sponsored by the Clarkson Woman's Club and it features members of the community who have learned these arts, of which their ancestors were masters. Exhibits include fine needle work, crocheted and knitted lace. Demonstrations include rug weaving, knitting and crocheting lace, making feather pastry brushes, and the culinary arts of preparing strudi, filled doughruts, listy, horn rolls, dumplings and kraut, breads, noodles, and pernik. Czech recipe cook books are sold here or are available by sending \$1.00 plus 5c for postage to Clarkson Woman's Club, Clarkson, Nebraska 68629.

Clarkson, Nebraska, Wednesday, July 3, 1968

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IS THE TIME TO:

Eat ice cream
Spray hogs and cattle
Check hens for lice
Go fishing
Worm your pigs and
chickens

Get some rat bait
Get a bank loan
Vaccinate your pigs
Trade your car for a new
one

Kill those flies
Buy some Vytabolator
Mineral

Feed extra Vitamin A & D Make a will Spray those cockleburrs Try Gooch's Super 40% Try our baler twine Repair your compicker Stop in for a visit See the Wheelers & Deal-

CLARKSON HATCHERY & FARM SUPPLY

Clarkson, Nebraska

ADOLPH C. FAJMAN FAMILY

Adolph C. Fajman, Born, Dec. 3rd, 1883, City of Clarkson, Colfax County, State of Nebraska.

Address, Clarkson, Nebraska.

Fathers name, Adolph Faiman, Mothers name, Frantiska Faiman, Faiman.

Occupation, Automobile Agency and Farming.

Married July 15, 1908. Wife, Emma Cimfel Fajman. Born, July 19, 1886.

Fathers name, Jose Cimfel. Mothers name, Anna Stusak Cimfel.

Children: Iola Fajman, Prettyman, Deceased. Husband, Maxillian Prettyman.

Children, Wayne Prettyman, Born Jan. 4, 1947. Wife, Barbara Prettyman, Address, 30 Rockwood Court, Vallejo, Calif.

Marjorie Fajman Svoboda, Husband, Albert A. Svoboda, Children, Alan C. Svoboda, Joan M. Svoboda McFall.

ALBERT A. SVOBODA FAMILY

Marjorie Fajman Svoboda, Born, Sept. 5, 1913, Clarkson, Nebraska, Colfax County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 7010 Lanewood Ave., Hollywood, California, 90028.

Education, High school & professional train ing.

Fathers name, Adolph C. Fajman, Mothers name, Emma Cimfel Fajman.

Married, May 23, 1933. Husband, Albert A. Svoboda. Born, July 21, 1911, Clarkson, Nebraska Colfax County, State of Nebraska.

Education, High School and Business Education.

Occupation, General Manager, Self employed manufacturing & supervision of Motion Picture Industry.

Children, Alan C. Svoboda, Born, 10/7/43. Address, 15040 Parthenia St. Sepulveda, Calif.

Married, Rita Fay Purifoy Svoboda. Childrem, Kimberly Kay, Svoboda, Born, 3/29/65.

Joan M. Svoboda McFall, Born, 5/29/39.
Address, 25142 Vespucci Rd., Laguna Hills, Cal.
Married, Tommy K. McFall,
Children, Keith Alan McFall, 11/1/62.
Kurt Thomas McFall, 12/9/66.

FRANK FAIMAN FAMILY

Frank Faiman, Born, 1880, died 1950. First wife, Emma Hubacek, deceased. Second Wife, Frances Hubacek, "

Children:

Frances Faiman, Barta, Husband, Charles Barta. Address, Omaha, Nebraska.

Alberta Faiman, deceased, Navy.

Lad Faiman, Baltimore Md. deceased.

Adella Faiman Johnson, husband, Malcom Johnson. Address, Omaha, Nebraska.

Milo Fayman, Wife, Alice Malloy Fayman. Address, Clarkson Nebraska.

Olga Faiman Roscicky, husband Rudy F.Roscicky. Address, Clarkson, Nebraska.

Mildred Faiman Eaker, Husband Howard Eacker. Address Schuyler. Nebraska.

Laura Faiman Baumann, husband, John Baumann. Address Richmond, Nebraska.

Elden Faiman, Wife Emma Totuseh, Address, Lindsay, Nebraska

Gladyce Faiman Sellhost, husband Barney Sellhost. Address, Clarkson, Nebraska.

Lenonard Faiman, not married. Address, Lindsay, Nebraska.

ANTON FAIMAN FAMILY

Anton Faiman, Born, Nov. 3, 1867 City of Teleci, County of Policka, District of Chrudim, Country of Bohemia, Czechoslovakia.

Died Dec. 25, 1946, Interned in Clarkson Cemetery, Clarkson, Nebraska.

Immigrated, 1885, from Solvenko Bohemia, to Clarkson Nebraska.

Occupation, Butcher and Susage Maker.
He assisted his father in farming, later he became an apprentice butcher and learned the trade. After three years of training, he was taken into the Army, where he spent a period of three years. He then came to the United States to join his Sister Frantiska Faiman. He assisted in farm work. Purchased a butcher shop and engaged himself in his trade.

Married, Feb. 121898, Stanton, Nebraska. Wife Anna Koza Faiman, Born, Sept. 26, 1867, City of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin.

Died January, 7, 1969, Grand Island, Nebr. Interned Clarkson Cemetery, Clarkson, Nebr.

Fathers name, Anton Koza.
Born, Dec. 14, 1833, Austria, Hungary.
Mothers name, Anna Kucera Koza,
Born, Aug. 19, 1837. Married 1862, Came to
U.S.A. in 1876 from Austria, Hungray.
Settled in Milwaukee, Moved to Colfax County
in Nebraska.

Occupation, Weaver of rag rugs, retired 1965.

Member of First Presbyterian Church of Clarkson, Nebraska.

Children, Edna Faiman Kriz.

Esther Ruth Faiman Russell.

Rudolph A. Faiman.

William R. Faiman, deceased, 1942.

FAMILY INFORMATION

by

Edna Faiman Kriz

It pleases me that you are interested in your ancestors, in the Old Home Land, in Europe. My Faiman Grand-parents were wonderful people. They were highly respected and I love to cherish their memory.

Grandpa Faiman was "Pillar" of his Church.

He was a man of manny trades, and could repair anything. Our Mother the first born, learned so much from him. Such as weaving, She could process flax into fine thread and weave a beautiful piece of linen. There are many other good things she knew how to do. In addition to rearing ten healthy children of which none were away from home where she left since.

Father died at the age of 53, and Uncle Josef Faiman had several fine children. One son is an artist in Prague, Aunt Josephine Knotek, reared four sons and one daughter.

He twin sister Anna Machacek, had one son, who is Mayor in his village. The youngest daughter Emily married Anton Balaban, a Merchant. Had a very nice life with him. Both are deceased, but their children are in good circumstances. I am certain you would like all these fine families.

Brother Frank died at the age of 82, and his brother John was 81 when he passed away.

Our Mother had a busy life, but very interesting also. She told me all about her girlhood days. They lived in Stanton County, on a 300 acre farm. Mama had to herd cows, she rode a pony side saddle, her name was Nellie. She would stay near by until it was time to go home. Mama would sit on the grass and embroider or knit. When the horse was 20 years old she died and the children burried her, and put up a wooden tomb marker on her grave. On it they wrote, "Beneath this earth lies at rest, of all good Horses, Nellie's the best." They raised cattle and turkeys.

Grandma, went to town every day and did house work or else sewed for people. Our Mother had to keep house. Mama's Dad died when he was 81, and Grandma our Mother's Mother died when she was 76 years old. Our Mother was more like her Father in temperment, Aunt Minnie was more like her Mother.

Dad met Mother through Friends. He would come to see her at the farm, and they had a short courtship; only two weeks and they were married. Our Mother was getting ready to go and clerk in the Raabe Store at Stanton. When Dad came along, she got together her trousseau, some cows, and household items. Grandma sewes Mama's wedding dress. It was a brown dress.

The Bride and Groom settled at Clarkson. Dad had a meat market. He did all of the butchering. Always worried about it before he started out as the bulls go so visicous so many times. Mama baked rye bread and they made bologna and would serve lunches. All three of us were born in this meat market, where the family lived in the rear.

They moved from Clarkson to Dodge, there they had another meat market, later sold and bought a hotel, which they operated for six years. Then two years on a farm, and then to a small acreage, on the edge of Clarkson, where both Mother and Dad spent the rest of their lives.

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NOTE: RUDOLPH A FAIMAN FAMILY RECORDS ARE LISTED UNDER HIS NAME ELSEWHERE IN THIS COPY.



Mr. and Mrs Anton Faiman, Clarkson Nebraska



Mrs Anna Koza Faiman, age 90

H.L.RUSSELL FAMILY

Esther Ruth Faiman, Russell, Born, Aug. 11, 1899, City of Clarkson, Colfax County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 1096 W. Twain, Fresno, Calif. 93705.

Fathers name, Anton Faiman, Mothers name, Anna Koza.

Married Sept. 1922, California. Second marriage, Feb. 18, 1938, California. Husband, Homer Lee Russell Sr.

Occupation, Builder of Apartments and Condominium in the Fresno area, Calif.

Fathers name, Noah Russell, Mothers name, Ida Weaver Russell, Occupation, Shoe repair.

Children, Miles Emerton Schofield, Wife, Liz, Schofield, 'Address, 12218 Montana, West Los Angeles, Calif.

Homer Lee Russell Jr. Wife, Janet Russell, Address, 5627 No. Poplar, Fresno, Calif.

E.J.KRIZ FAMILY

Edna Faiman Kriz, Born, Sept 22, 1897, City of Clarkson, Colfax County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 424 East Hall St., Grand Island, Nebraska.

Fathers name, Anton Faiman, Mothers name, Anna Koza.

Married, Feb. 25, 1922, Omaha, Nebraska. Husband, Edwin Josef Kriz. Born, July 1st. 1898, City of Dodge, Cummings County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Chas. Kriz. Mothers name, Josephine Pimper kriz.

Occupation, Engaged by Henningson Engineering, doing architectural work.

Children, Marilyn Kriz Stolley, Jacquelyn Ruth Herman.

I.STOLLEY FAMILY

Marilyn Kriz Stolley,
Born, June 3, 1924, City of Omaha,
County of Douglas, State of Nebraska.

Address, 1033 South Plum street, Grand Island, Nebraska, 68801.

Fathers name, Edwin J. Kriz. Mothers name, Edna Faiman Kriz.

Husband, Irvin Stolley, Born, Feb. 9, 1925, Grand Island, Hall County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Fred Stolley.
Mothers name, Florence Vieth Stolley.

Occupation, Tavern owner and operator.

Children:

Linda Stolley, Born, Oct. 22, 1947. Todd Stolley, "Dec. 17, 1949. Terri Sue Stolley" June 6, 1956.

D. HERMAN FAMILY

Jacquelyn Ruth Kriz Herman, Born, July 10, 1928, City of Fremont, Dodge County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 616 No. 68 St. Lincoln Nebr. 68505.

Fathers name, Edwin Josef Kriz, Mothers name, Edna Faiman Kriz.

Husband, Dick Herman, Born, Feb. 27, 1928, City of Burlington, State of Iowa.

Fathers name, Morry Herman, Mothers name, Mildred Erlich Herman.

Occupation, Writer for Lincoln Journal, News Paper, in Lincoln, Nebr.

Children:

Ted. Herman, Born, July 12, 1952, Denver, Colo. Dan. Herman, "Oct. 29, 1955, Sidney, Nebr.



The TWENTY-THIRD PSALM

HE LORO IS MY SHEPHERO; 9 SHALL NOT WANT. HE MAKETH METOLIE DOWN IN GREEN PASTURES. HE LEADETH ME BESIDE THE STILL WATERS. HE RESTORETH MY SOUL: HE LEADETH ME IN THE PATHS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE .. YEA, THOUGH I WALK THROUGH THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW OF GEATH, SWILL FEAR NO EVIL: FOR THOU ART WITH ME; THY ROD AND THY STAFF THEY COMFORT ME. THOU PREPAREST A TABLE BEFORE ME IN THE PRESENCE OF MINE ENEMIES: THOU ANOINTEST MY HEAD WITH OIL; MY CUP RUNHETH OVER .. SURELY GOOGNESS AND MERCY SHALL FOLLOW HE ALL THE DAYS OF MY LIFE: AND I WILL OWELL IN THE HOUSE OF THE LORD FOR EVER



Howard F. Hrabak,

Prominent Grocer, Civic Leader

One of Stanton's most dis-| committees and with many ortinguished businessmen has passed on, leaving in his place memorles of a man greatly respected and revered by young and old alike.

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Howard Hrabak, 63, died Monday in a Rochester, Minn. hospital, following surgery. Mr. Hrabak, a grocer in Stanton since 1933, had been ailing for some months, but except for checkups, had only entered a hospital for the last time a few weeks ago. He had been hospitalized at Norfolk, and his son Gordon had flown with him to Rochester last Thursday. He was operated on Saturday and died Monday morning.

A hard-working town booster,

Howard had served on many

ganizations to promote Stanton and its surrounding community. He was an active member of the Congregational Church in Stanton, and had served for 16 years as a member of its board of trustees. He was a past com-mander of the local American Legion Post; a member of the Masonic Lodge; and was willing worker on whatever job he could best fill to give assistance. A great friend of children, he will also be remembered by many as a man of great generosity and always concerned with the welfare of others.

Funeral services were conducted today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. from the Congregational Church, the pastor, Rev. Eugene Loftis officiating. Shultz-Vogel Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

Music was provided by the mens octet of the church with Mrs. R. G. Deardorff at the organ. ·

Pallbearers were Roy Whalen, C. V. Gaddle Dan Harris, Dr. H. S. Tennant, R. C. Hoeline, and Kenneth Gutheil. Interment was at the Stanton cemetery.

In Memory of

HOWARD HRABAK

Born at

Dodge, Nebraska October 4, 1896

Passed Away at

Rochester, Minnesota March 21, 1960 Age, 63 Years

Congregational Church March 24, 1960 - 2 p.m.

> Officiating Minister Rev. Eugene Loftis

Interment & Masonic Service at Stanton Cometery

Pailbearers

Roy Whalen Dr. H. S. Tennant R. C. Hoehne C. V. Gaddie Kenneth Gutheil Dan Harris

SHULTZ-VOGEL MORTUARY Stanton, Nebraska

In Memory of

MRS. MINNIE WITTGOW

Born in

Vienna, Austria, Jan. 13, 1874

Passed Away at

Norfolk, Nebraska April 14, 1961—Age, 87 Years

Services at

Congregational Church Monday, April 17, 1961-2 p.m.

> Officiating Minister Rev. Eugene Loftis

Interment at Stanton Cemetery

Palibearers

Lowell Wittgow

Gordon Hrabak

Ervine Wittgow

Terry Wittgow

Charles Cherny

Ben Koza

SHULTZ-VOGEL MORTUARY Stanton, Nebraska

R.A.FAIMAN FAMILY

Rudolph A. Faiman, Born, Dec. 12, 1901, City of Clarkson, County of Colfax, State of Nebraska.

Interned, will be at Forest Lawn Mausolem, Holly Terrace entrance, Sanctury of Heavenly Promise, Glendale, California.

Address, Space 43, 12700 Elliott, ElMonte, California, 91732.

Occupation: Former employee of Karel's of Clarkson Nebraska. Former owner and operator of Grocery Markets in York Nebr., and San Gabriel California. Assisted his Son Bob with amarket in Las Vegas Nevada. Also 12 years in the Eastern Live Poultry Business, A Claus Family Business.

Fathers name, Anton Faiman, Mothers name, Anna Koza Faiman.

Married, June 19th, 1927, York, Nebraska. Wife Elizabeth Christine Claus Faiman. Born, March 30, 1907, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, William H. Claus. Mothers name, Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus.

Mrs Faiman's Occupation: Alhambra City Recreation program director for 15 years. Executive Director of Girls' Club of Pasadena five years. Director of Volunteer Services, at City of Hope Medical Center, and Gift Shop Supervisor for seven years. Now Gift Shop Manager at City of Hope Medical Center. A charter member of Zonta Club of Santa Santa Anita Area. Past President 1963, 1967.

A member of the Wesleyan Service Guild at the United Methodist Church of El Monte, Calif. and treasuer of the Guild.

Received the following recognition:

- 1. Served nineteen years as Girl Scout Leader, received the Girls Scout Thanks Badge.
- 2. Received a Life Membership from the Ramona School Parent-Teachers Association.
 - 3. Service given American Red Cross, Taught Standard and advane First Aid, Junior Red Cross Chairman at Alhambra High School. Received three award Pins.
 - 4. Served as Camp Mother for the Boys Camp for Alhambra Y.M.C.A.
 - 5. Cub Scout Den Mother and a Boy Scout Badge consultant.
 - 6. Served as Committee member for the Wood-craft Rangers.
 - 7. Taught emergency out-doors cooking for Civil Defense.
- * 8. Worked as Girls Program Director at the El Calvario Community Center in El Monte.
 - 9. Assisted as an aid at the Los Angeles Girls Orphanage in South San Gabriel. 10. Chosen as one of the citzens that a biography was written and published in the Doucementery book. Title, "The Historical Volume and Reference Works," Published 1962, Volume I. page 594.

Church: Both are members of the United Methodist Church of El Monte.

Children, Robert Lee Faiman.

Donald Gene Faiman.

Morris Dean Faiman.







FAIMAN'S VILLAGE MARKET IN SAN GABRIEL OPERATED BY THE FAIMAN FAMILY TWELVE YEARS.



Mr. R. A. Faiman and Sons, Bob, Don, & Morry.
Opening of the San Gabriel Village Market.
1941 -----1953



THE R. A. FAIMAN FAMILY

ROBERT L., RUDOLPH A., ELIZABETH C.,

MORRIS D., DONALD G.



THE R.A.FAIMAN HOME 1940--1964 ALHAMBRA, CALIF.



BEE HIVE GROCERY, YORK NEBRASKA

OWNED AND OPERATED BY R. A. FAIMAN

1925-----1930

R. L. FAIMAN FAMILY

Robert Lee Faiman, Born, Mar. 15, 1929, City of Lincoln, Lancaster County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 3609 Apache Lane, Clark County, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Occupation: Business man, Owner and operator of Shopping Bag Market, 4034 Pardise Rd. Las Vegas. Frozen Food and Freezer Business also on Pardise Rd. Owner and operator of motel on the Strip in Las Vegas, THE TAHITI 3725 Las Vegas Blvd.

Former Marine in Wing Service. Squadron One. Honorable Discharge, August 9, 1948.

Is a Pilot, owns a twin Bonanza Plane, #3697B. Member of Aircraft Owner and Pilots Association. His membership #190752

Fathers name, Rudolph A. Faiman, Mothers name, Elizabeth Claus Faiman.

Married June 24, 1951, San Marino, California. Wife, Margie Jane Wise Faiman, Born, June 9th, 1928, City of St. Louise, State of Missouri.

Mrs. Faiman, is the Secretary of the Faiman Corperation in Nevada, and Co-pilots for her Husband when they fly.

Fathers name, Archie Campbell Wise.
Mothers name, Margaret Nicholson Wise.

Children:

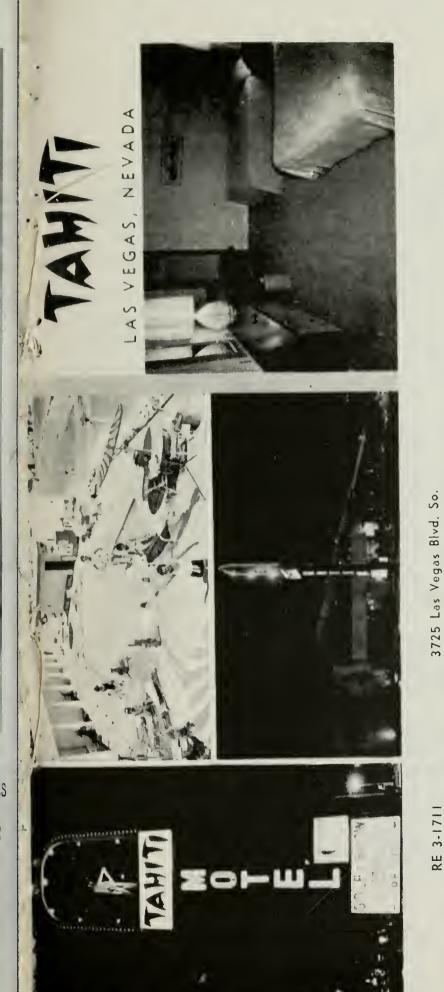
Deberah Lynn Faiman, Born, Sept. 22, 1952 Pasadena, California.

Robert Lee (Rob.) Faiman, Born, August 2nd, 1954 Los Angeles, California





BOB FAIMAN, WINNER OF THE TRUMPET CLASS AT THE ANNUAL INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC FESTIVAL. 1947, DISTRICT & STATE



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D. G. FAIMAN FAMILY

Donald Gene Faiman, Born, December 3, 1932, City of Alhambra, Los Angeles County, State of California.

Address, 2700 Walnut Ave., Carmichael, California, 95608.

Occupation: Air Conditioning and Refrigeration, Futura Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Company of Sacramento, California.

Fathers name, Rudolph A. Faiman, Mothers name, Elizabeth Claus Faiman.

Married March 17, 1957, Las Vegas Nevada. Wife, Joan Patricia Hunt Faiman. Born, January 26, 1938,.....

Fathers name, Melvin H. Hunt, Mothers name, Alice Louise Cook, Hunt.

Children:

Donald Melvin Faiman, Born, March 13,1958, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Christopher Gene Faiman, Born, July, 17, 1959, Sacramento, California.

Randall James Faiman, Born, December 3, 1960, Sacramento, California.

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M. D. FAIMAN FAMILY

Morris Dean Faiman,
Born, July 14, 1939, City of Alhambra,
County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Address, 43, La Sierra, Arcadia, California.

Occupation: Automotive, Parts Manager,
Specializing in Chrysler Products. Employed
and Stock holder in Lee's Plymouth and
Chrysler, 600 East, Las Tunas Drive, San
Gabriel, California, as Parts Manager.

Member of Chrysler Parts Association, and Past President of the Association. Vice-President at present of the Western District of the Chrysler Association.

Fathers name, Rudolph A. Faiman, Mothers name, Elizabeth Claus Faiman.

Married, September, 12, 1959, San Gabriel, Calif.

Wife, Judith Arlene Fry Faiman.
Born April 3, 1940, City of Alhambra,
Los Angeles County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Donald Emery Fry, Mothers name, Edith DeLong Fry.

Children, Mark Dean Faiman, Born, Jan. 8, 1964, Monterey Park, California.

Nancy Arlene Faiman, Born, Nov. 6 1967, Monterey Park, California.

HISTORICAL RECORDS OF Hunt Faiman Families

John Brown, Born, May9, 1800, Torrington, Conn. Died, Dec. 2, 1859, Harper's Ferry Va.

Married, Dianthe Lusk, June, 21, 1820, Born ?

Children: John Brown Jr. Born, July 25, 1821 Hudson. Married Wealthy Hotchkis, 1847. Jason Brown, Born, Jan. 19, 1823,

Hudson Ohio. Married Ellen Sheribiddy, 1847. Owen Brown, Born, Nov. 4, 1824

Hudson Ohio, Unmarried.

Frederick Brown, Born, Jan 9, 1827

Richmond, Pa. Died Mar. 31, 1831.

Ruth Brown, Born, Feb. 18, 1829,

Richmond Pa.Married Henry Thompson, 1850.

Frederick, Born Dec. 31, 1830,

Murdered at Osawatomi Kansas 1855.

Infant son burried with Mother Richmond Pa, 1852.

Second Wife. M. Mary Ann Day, Born, Apr. 15, 1816, Died Feb. 28, 1844. Married July 11, 1833

Children: Sarah Brown, Born Mayll, 1834, Richmond Pa. Watson Brown, Born, Oct. 7, 1835 Franklin, Ohio. Married Isabella Thompson. (sister of Henry Thompson.) Died 1859, Harp-

ers Ferry Va.

Salmon Brown, Born, Oct. 2, 1836 Hudson, Ohio. Married Abbie Hinkley 1857.

Charles Brown, Born, Nov. 3, 1837

Hudson. Ohio.

Oliver Brown, Born, Mar. 9, 1839, Franklin, Ohio, killed Harper's Ferry Va. 1859. Peter Brown, Born, Dec. 7, 1840,

Hudson Ohio. Died Sept. 22, 1843.

Austin Brown, Born, Sept. 14, 1842

Richfield Ohio, Died Sept. 27, 1843.

Annie Brown, Born, Dec. 23, 1843,

Richfield, Ohio, Married Samuel S. Adams, 1869. Amelia Brown, Born, June 22, 1845,

Akron Ohio, Died, Oct 31, 1846.

Sarah Brown, Born, Sept. 11, 1846,

Akron, Ohio, Unmarried.

Infant son, Born, April, 26, 1852,

Akron, Ohio, Died, May 17, 1852.

Ellen Brown, Born, Sept. 25, 1854,

Akron, Ohio.

Annie Brown Adams, Born, Dec. 23, 1843, Died, Oct. 3, 1926. Husband, Samuel Adams, Born, Nov. 3, 1839, Died, Oct.27,1914.

Children by Adams first wife, name not known, Irona Sierravilla, Born July 23, 1861. And Ross Grant, Born, April 9, 1866,

Died. 1928.

Children Samuel and Annie Adams, Vivian Adams, Born, Sept. 28, 1870. Bertha Alice Adams, Born May, 12

1872, Died Dec. 17, 1957.

John Archibald Adams, Born, July 23,

Lolita Adams, Born, Aug. 20,1874. 1873,

Grace Adams, Born, May 1, 1876. Samuel Francis Adams, Born, July

20,1877. Sarah Irene Adams, Born, April 4, 1880. Edith Adams, Born, Mar. 1, 1882.

Landon Agustus Adams, Born, July 9,

1884. Richard Louis, Born, Jan. 26, 1887. He disappeared.

Bertha Alice, Born May 12, 1872, Died, Dec. 17, 1957. Married George Madison Cook, Born, Dec. 9, 1875. Died Aug. 25, 1875. Children: Beatrice Vivian Cook,

Born, Aug. 14, 1902.
Harjorie Mariza Cook, Born, Apr. 12,

1904. George Madison Cook, (female) Born, Dec. 4, 1905.

Edith Sibyl Cook, Born, May 5, 1908. Clifford Garland Cook, Born, Dec. 8,

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1910. James Clinton Cook, Born, Nov. 2, 1911. Samuel Kenneth Cook Born, Nov. 2, 1911.

Died, Dec. 4, 1911.

Earl Archilbald Cook, Born, Mar. 27, 1916. Alice Louise Cook, Born, Mar. 27, 1916.

Reverand William Cook, Born, May 9, 1777. No record of his marriage.

Children: James Clinton Cook, Born,

Feb. 10, 1321. Died, Aug. 1896. Married Sept. 21, 1843, Wife, Frances Nortern. No children.

Wife, Missouri Aboit Cook, Married

Feb. 27, 1845. Died, Dec. 11,1852.

Children: William Bruins Cook, Born,

Feb. 10, 1846. Died, Mar, 28, 1862.

Sara Francis, Born, Jan. 17,1849,

Died, Dec. 27, 1925.

Thomas Jackson, Born, June 15, 1851

Died, Apr. 13,1854

Eary Elizabeth Cook, Born, June 15,

1851, Died Nov. 1923.

Wife (3rd) Hariza Husich Miller, Cook.

Married Jan. 27, 1853, Born, Apr. 5, 1832, Died, July, 23, 1894.

Children: Missouri Lavina Cook, Born, Hov. 20,1853.

Green Lafayette Cook, Born, Nov. 6, Louisa Jane, Cook, Born, Nov. 6, 1856. 1855. Savilda Lucretia Cook, Born Aug. 6, Infant, Born dead, Jan 1, 1861. 1.858. James Andrew Cook, Born, Nov. 22, 1861. Nancy Margaret Cook Born, Apr. 12, 1864. Jesse Florence, Cook, Born, Feb. 23, Willie Rebecca Gook, Born, Oct. 25, 1867. Robert E. Cook, Born, Sept. 30, 1870. 1868 Martin Young Cook, Born, Dec. 9,1875. Preston Melville Cook, Born, Apr. 13, Died, Aug, 25, 1935. 378,

Alice Louise Cook, Born Mar. 27,1916.
Husband, Melvin H. Hunt, Married Oct. 1, 1934.
Born, Aug. 11, 1914.
Children: Beverly Louise Hunt, Born
Nov. 1, 1935. Died, 1939.
Joan Patricia Hunt Faiman, Born, Jan.
26, 1938, Husband Don. G. Faiman, Born, Dec.
3, 1932. Children: Donald Melvin FaimanBorn
Dec. 3, 1958. Christopher GeneFaiman,
Born, July 17, 1959. Randall James Faiman,
Born, Dec. 3, 1956.

Captain John Bell of Edinsburg, Scotland. Wife Davidge, Children, Two sons and three daughter no record available.

Son Nathaniel John Bell, Born, May 3, 1749, Died Feb. 2, 1831, Wife, Mary Carlyle, Born, Sept. 25, 1748, Died Feb. 2,1831.

Children: Joshua Bell, Born, Dec. 1, 1775. Mary Bell, Born, Sept. 22, 1777.

George Bell, Born, Oct. 2, 1779.

Nathaniel Bell, Born, Oct. 2, 1781. Sarah Bell, Born, Oct. 2, 1781. John Bell, Born, July, 23, 1784, Drowned, Dec. 1809.

John Bell, Married Lydia Smith, her parents Jacob and Patience ? Smith. Children: John Smith Bell, Born, Jan. 4, 1810.

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John Smith Bell, Born, Jan 4, 1810, Died Dec. 26, 1872. Married, Zipporah Cook Bell. Children: John N. Bell, Born Dec. 18, 1838. Andrew Bell, Born, Aug. 30, 1840. Charles Bell, Dec. 12, 1842 Arthur Bell, Dec. 12, 1842.

David Bell, Born, May 10, 1848.

Died, Jan. 23, 1923.

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David Bell Married Jessie J. Newell, one child, Oscar Bell, Born, No. 24, 1850. Second wife, Vina Cook Bell, Born Oct. 22, 1861, Parents, Henry Cook, and Emeretta Latimer. Children: Nina E. Bell, Born June 23, 1891. Harriet Z. Bell, Born, Nov. 5, 1892. Mary Jane Bell, Born Nov 25, 1893. Alice R. Bell, Born, Mar. 10,1892. Ora D. Bell, Born, Dec. 28, 1895. Roy D. Bell, Born Oct. 10, 1897. Bertha V. Bell, Born, Oct. 28, 1905. Harriet Z Bell married, Homer G. Hunt,
Parents, John Hunt, And Elizabeth Peteraon.
Children: Doris B. Hunt, Born 1910.
Melvin H. Hunt, Born, Aug. 11, 1934.
Muriel J. Hunt, Born, 1926.

James Cock, later changed to Cook. Born; D.1669. Wife Sarah? Born,?, Died Oct. 16, 1715.
Children: Mary Cook Born, Nov. 1,1655.
Thomas Cook, Born, Aug. 15, 1658
Martha Cook, Born, July? 1661.
John Cook, Born, Nov. 22, 1666.
Hannah Cook, Born, June 5, 1669.
James Cook, Born, Feb. 4, 1674.
Henry Cook, Born, Feb. 1, 1678.

Henry Cook married Mary Feke, Parents, John and Elizabeth Prier Feke.

Wife Mary Feke Cook, Born Jan 30, 1678
Children: Joseph, Born, Feb. 29,1701
Benjamin Cook, Born, Oct. 5,1702.
John Cook, Born, Jan. 22, 1705 Died

1778. James Cook, Born, Oct. 24, 1707
Ann Cook, Born, Dec. 29, 1708.
Mary Cook, Born, Aug. 18,1711.
Henry Cook, Born, June 10, 1713
Sarah Cook, Born, Oct. 14, 1715
Elizabeth Cook, Born, Oct. 14, 1715.
Second Wife, Martha Seaman Pearsall,
Children: Thomas Cook, Born July, 15

1718. Samuel Cook, no record.

John Cook, Born, Jan. 22, 1705, Married,
Sarah Carpenter, Parents, Joseph Carpenter,
Ann Weeks, Grandparents, Francis Weeks, &
Mary Luther. They were the Founders of
Mesketa Cove from Amesbury, Wiltshire
England. William Carpenter, & Elizabeth Prier.
Children: Mary Cook, Born, July 5,
1730. William Cook, Born, Oct. 11, 1732.

William Cook, Born, Oct. 11, 1732, Married Dinah Hopkins Cook. Parents Daniel Hopkins, Amy Weeks Hopkins.

Children: Stephen Cook, Born, Sept.

18, 1755. Esther Cook, Born, Feb. 22, 1756.
Abraham Cook, Born, April 29,1758.
Isaac Cook, Born, Feb. 5,,1760.

Second Wife, Ann Feke Cook.

Children: Henry Cook, Born, July
Rees Cook, Borm, Nov. 26, 1738.
Elizabeth Cook, Born, Nov. 9, 1740.
Ann Cook, Born, June 23, 1743.
Elijah Cook, Born, Oct. 18,1745
Unnamed, Born, dead, Jan. 28, 1750.
Benjamin Cook, Born, Mar. 22,1754.
Amy Cook, Born, Nov. 25, 1756.
Jacob Cook, Born, May 2, 1764.
Charles Cook, Born, July 24, 1765.
John Cook, Born, Mar. 24, 1767.
Andrew Cook, Born, Feb. 26,1769.
Dinah Cook, Born, Sept. 23,1770.
Ephrian Cook, Born, Mar. 30, 1773.
Anne Cook, Born, Nov. 28, 1774.
Joshua Cook, Born, Mar. 8,1777.
Oliver Cook, Born, Jan. 4, 1781,

Died, Apr. 4, 1861. Third wife, Clemence Feke, Sister of Ann, No. Children.

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Lieut. Robert Feke, Wife Elizabeth Jones Feke, Came with the Winthrop Party in 1930. Parents John Feke, Elizabeth Prier; Mathew and Mary Prier of Kent England. Charles Feke, Catherine Tillier, daughter of Jan. C. Tillier of Normandy.

Oliver Cook, Born, Jan 4, 1781, died, Apr. 4 1861. Wife, Zipporah Coles, Parents Robert Coles Jr. Ann Baker. Grandparents, Robert Coles, Mary Hawhurst. They came to Mass. Bay in 1630 with the Winthrop Party and were among the founders of Rhode Island.

Children: William Born, Jan. 11, 1803. Robert Cook, Born, Aug. 22,1804. Ephrian Cook, Born, Aug. 9, 1806. Oliver Cook, Borm, Nov. 22, 1808. James Cook, Born, Apr. 30, 1811. Anna Cook, Born, Apr. 9,1813

Zipporah Cook, Born Oct. 17,1815. Died, Aug. 26, 1850 Joseph Cook, Born, Feb. 9,1818. Joshua Cook, Born Mar. 14, 1821. Andrew Cook, Born, Oct. 14, 1823.



THE GERMAN COLONIST

An interesting article is written about the German People Migration from Germany to Russia, and then across the Ocean.....The Andres History of the State of Nebraska, Vol. II, as follows......

A Colony of Germans from Southern Russia, near the port of Odessa, on the Black Sea, came to Sutton Nebraska and settled in the town and adjacent country in the fall of The principal leaders of the Colony were John Grosshans, Henry Griess, and Henry Hoffman. The whole number of families was fifty-five. They bought in the aggregate, 16,120 acres of land as a average of \$7.00 dollars per acre, making \$112,840.00, that was paid the Burlington and Missouri Railroad Company and to the homesteaders for land. Their property in Sutton cost them, \$18,000.00. Their combined wealth in this Country, was \$5000,000.00. They were sober temperate people and belonged to the German Reformed Church.

The German Reformed Church was established at Sutton in the fall of 1874, by emigrants from Russia. The preliminary meetings were held in Grosshans hall. The organization was effected by Rev. Mr. Dickerman, and the congregation had about twenty-five members. From Grosshans Hall they re-moved to the Odd Fellows' Hall, where they remained untill the Church House was built in the fall of 1878. The building was frame, and about,

thirty by sixty feet in size. At that time eighty-three families in the congregation, with Rev. William Bonekemper as pastor.

Henry Grosshans, of the firm of John Grosshans and Company, dealers in grain, was born in Russia, March 13, 1858, Immigrating. to America in 1873 with his Pather, John Grosshans. They located in Sutton, Nebraska, in August of that year Mr. Grosshans Sr. purchased eight hundred acres of land in the neighborhood. Henry has since assisted him in conducting his farms. The father and son engaged in grain business, in the fall of 1876. Henry Grosshans, also engaged in the agricultural implement business at this time in Sutton, and was assisted by his Brother Agusta. This business was established in the spring of 1881.

Emma Scheidemann Krieger calls our attention that: Henry Griess, Father of Grandpa Johann P. Griess, Johann P. Griess is Sophie Scheidemanns! Fathers. (Emma! Mother.)

GEORGE SCHEIDEMANN

FAMILY OF

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George Scheidemann,

Children, Jacob Scheidemann

John
Henry
George

Alice " Schwindt
Kathryn " Schwindt
Christina Glantz

#I Jacob Scheidemann Children, Louie Scheidemann John Scheidemann

#II John Scheidemann, Wife, Elizabeth Jager.

Children, George Scheidemann

Henry
John

Christina "Weber

#III Henry Scheidemann
Wife, Elizabeth Lohfink
Children, Christina Scheidemann Traudt.
Elizabeth Scheidemann Claus.
Henry Scheidemann.

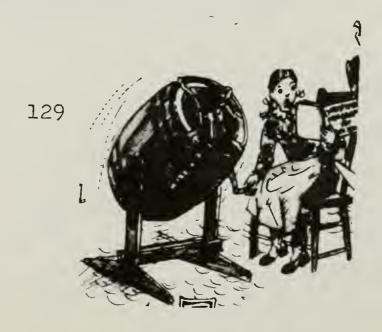
#IV George Scheidemann, Dr. Venterinary. Children, John Scheidemann,

Conrad
Henry
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George

The Son of John (#2on the list), was the youngest in the family. He and his Sister Christinia settled in Colfax, Washington. John came to this country in 1913, Feb. 2nd.

Henry Scheidemann (#3 on the list) came to the United States in 1899, bringing with him his family of Henry and Elizabeth. Christina was married and came latter. Both of these families settled in York Nebraska.

Records of the two families mentioned above are included in this book.





MR. AND MRS HENRY SCHEIDEMAN,
PORTLAND, OREGON. 1960



CONRAD AND CHRISTINE WEBER 50th ANNIVERSARY, 1966

Esther Miller, Marie Keevey, Mr. & Mrs. C. Weber, Kathie Wunch, and Edward Weber.

GEORGE SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

George Scheidemann, of Norka Russia. Wife, no record.

Occupation, Farming, Also Deacon of his Church.

George remained in Europe.
Children, Jacob Scheidemann, lived in
Sartof Russia, he had three sons
tow ho lived, Loui and *John.

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*John Scheidemann, Lived in Norka Russia, Born, 1846, Died 1900.

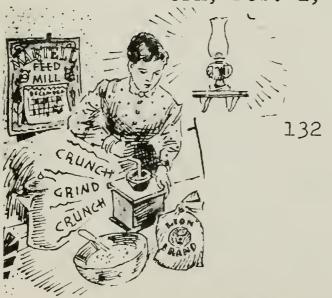
Wife, Elizabeth Jager Scheidemann, Born, 1884, Died 1922.

Children: George Scheidemann, in Russia.

Henry Scheidemann, Portland Oregon,
Born, Sept. 14, 1891.

John Scheideman, Colfax Washington.
Born, Sept. 15, 1896.

Christina Weber, Portland, Oregon.
Born, Feb. 1, 1894.



GEORGE SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

George Scheidemann, stayed in Norka Russia. His occupation was Veterinarian. Wifes' name not known.

Children, John Scheidemann

Conrad "Henry "Lawrence "George "

Kathryn " Schwindt. Deceased. Alice " Schwindt, Markola Oregon.

Christina "Glantz.

Christina Scheidemann Glantz, Born, Dec. 14, 1855, Colony of Norka Russia. Died June 10, 1951, Interned Fort Collins Colo.

Came to Fort Collins, Colorado, 1902.

Husband, Nicklas Glantz.
Born, June 10, 1855, Norka Russia.
Died, Oct. 1926, Interned Fort Collins, Colo.

Children, Elizabeth Glantz. Lizzie "

Katherine '

Alice "Laes, (Jacob.)



CHRISTINE SCHEIDEMAN GLANTZ age 96 years 5 months.
EIZZIE GLANTZ.

JOHN SCHEIDEMAN FAMILY

John Scheideman, Born, Sept. 15, 1896, Norka Russia.

Immigrant to United States, Feb. 2, 1913.

Address, Waitsburg, Washington, 99361.

Occupation, Farmer, at LaCross Washington.

Fathers name, Scheideman, John. Mothers name, Elizabeth Jager Scheideman.

Wife, Caroline Stuckle Scheideman. Born.

Died.

1966.

Children, Martha Scheideman, Hibbard.

Daniel Benjamin

11 Helen

Balsa. 11 Eva LeCaire.

11 Gentry. Esther

Gertie Scheideman.

Remarried, 1967, to Martha Weber Stueckle, Scheideman.

Note: The John Scheideman, spelled the last name with only on "N".



JOHN AND CARRIE SCHEIDEMAN WEDDING PHOTO, 1919.



John AND CARRIE SCHEIDEMAN, 1964

ALLEN S.HIBBARD FAMILY

Allen S. Hibbard, Born, Nov. 25, 1916, State of Iowa.

Address, 11904 E. Alki, Spokane, Washington 99206. Occupation, Auto Parts, 7703, N. Division, Spokane Washington.

Education, Biarritz Uni. of France.

Service, U.S. Air Force.

Fathers name, Henry H. Hibbard. Mothers name, Grace Hibbard.

Wife, Martha Scheideman, Born, Mar. 6, 1920, Whitman, Washington.

Education, Kinman Business Uni, of Spokane.

Father name, John Scheideman, Mothers name, Caroline Stueckle. Father Immigrant Feb. 2, 1913.

Children, Marry Ellen Hibbard.

Gerald A. "

Dianne M. "

Richard K. "

Elizabeth M. "

DAN SCHEIDEMAN FAMILY

Dan Scheideman,
Born, July 19, 1922, City of LaCrosse.
Whitman County, State of Washington.

Address, LaCrosse, Washington.

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Occupation, Farmer and Securities Representative of LaCrosse, Washington. Education, Grade and High School at LaCrosse.

Service Washington State National Guard.

Fathers name, John Scheideman, 'Mothers name, Caroline Stueckle Scheideman., Father Immigrant to U.S.A. Feb. 2,1913.

Wife, Mary Catherine Brueggeman. Born, Feb. 20, 1924, At Miller, So. Dakota.

Education, Grade and High School, at Cieur d'Alene Idaho.

Fathers name, Frank Brueggeman, Mothers name, Catherine Brueggeman.

Children, Barabara Ann Scheideman, Born, Jan. 26, 1950.

> John Michael Scheideman, Born, August 30, 1952.

BEN SCHEIDEMAN FAMILY

Benjamin Scheideman, Born, March 31, 1925, City of LaCrosse, Whitman County, State of Washington.

Address, LaCrosse, Washington.

Education, Grade and High School at LaCrosse.

Service Record, U.S.Army, Jan. 1951 to Jan. 19 1953. Corporal in Armored Cavalry Regiment, Stationed 22 months in Fort Carson, Colorado. Two months at Camp Irwin, California.

Fathers name, John Scheideman, Mothers name, Carolina Stueckle Scheideman.

Father Immigrant ot U.S.A. Feb. 2, 1913.

Wife, Ernestine Marie Westphal, Born, May 5, 1932, City of Madison, County of Lake, State of South Dakota.

Education, St. Thomas Academy, Great Falls High School, Great Falls Montana.

Fathers name, Ernest Westphal, Mothers name, Ida Ducette Westphal.

Children, Randal Scott Scheideman, Debra Gail Scheideman.

Mr. Scheideman is farming with his Brother Dan on the Family Farm, located 12 miles east, of LaCrosse Washington, in Whitman County. Their farming at this point is very scientific.

ANTHONY BALSA FAMILY

Anthony Balsa, Born, June 13, 1920, City of Hilmar, Merced County, State of California.

Address, 1982 McDaniel Ave., San Jose, Calif.

Occupation, Vic-Principal and Teacher,
Oster School, San Jose, Calif.

Education, Modesto grade and High school, Modesto Jr. College, San Jose State College. AB. degree, 1950, MA. degree 1957.

Service record, U.S.Marine Corps, 1941 to Sept. 1945. Two years in the South Pacific Islands.

Fathers name, John Dominick Balsa.
Mothers name, Benta DeConsecion Balsa.
Parents Immigrants to U.S.A. 1917 from
Lisbon, Portugal.

Married, August 30, 1957, in St. Johns Congregational Church, Dusty Washington. Wife, Helen Scheideman, Balsa. Born, Sept. 12, 1926, City of LaCrosse, Whitman County, State of Washington.

Education, LaCrosse Grade and High School.

Fathers name, John Scheideman, Mothers name, Caroline Stueckle Scheideman. Father Immigrant, from Russia, Feb. 2, 1913.

Children, Cathryn Rachel Balsa, Born 12/10/48.
Carolyn Renee! " 7/2/50.
Christina Rebecca " 12/28/51.
Anthony Dominick Balsa Jr. Born,
Dec. 5th, 1954.

OLIVER R. LECAIRE FAMILY

Oliver Raymond LeCaire, Born, Oct. 8, 1922, City of Brunswick, State of Michigan.

Address, West 2905 Weile Ave. Spolane, Wash.

Occupation, Manager of a Shoping Center Parking Lot. W. 814 Main Ave. Spokane, Washington.

Education, Northport Grade and High School.

Service Record, Army, South and Central Pacif

Fathers name, Oliver Joseph LeCaire, Mothers name, Belle Monette LeCaire.

Wife, Eva Scheideman, Born, Oct. 29, 1927, City of LaCrosse, Whitman County, State of Washington.

Education, LaCrosse Grade and High School.

Fathers name, John Scheideman, Mothers name, Caroline Stueckle Scheideman. Father Immigrant from Russia, Feb. 2, 1913.

Childre, Jo Anne LeCaire.

L. E. GENTRY FAMILY

Lawrence Elmer Gentry, Born, Nov. 2, 1929, City of Garfield, Whitman County, State of Washington.

Address, S. 405 Mill, Colfax, Washington.

Occupation, Construction Foreman, Colfax, Washington.

Service Record, Two years Korean War.

Fathers name, James Henry Gentry.
Mothers name, Lucy Martha Keating Gentry.

Wife, Esther Marie Scheideman Gentry. Born, Oct. 6, 1929, City of LaCrosse, Whitman County, State of Washington.

Education, Grade and High School, LaCrosse.

Fathers name, John Scheideman, Mothers name, Caroline Stueckle Scheideman. Father Immigrant from Russia, Feb. 2, 1913.

GERTIE SCHEIDEMAN,

Gertie Scheideman, Born, Aug. 23, 1930, City of LaCrosse, Whitman County, State of Washington.

Address, 1915 Second Ave. Spokane, Wash.

Occupation, Office Nurse, 1272 Paulsen Medical & Dental Building, Spokane, Washington.

Fathers name, John Scheideman, Mothers name, Caroline Stueckle Scheideman. Father Immigrant from Russia, Feb. 2, 1913.



HENRY SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

Henry Scheidemann, Born, Feb. 12, 1851, Colony of Norka Russia. Died, June, 12, 1912, Interned York Cemetery York Nebraska.

Fathers name, George Scheidemann. Mothers name, not known.

Immigrant from Norka Russia, with family, Left Russia, May 6th, 1899, arrived York, Nebraska, June 16, 1899.

Settled in York Nebraska, Employee of the C. B. & Q. Railroad.

Wife, Elizabeth Lohfink Scheidemann, Born, Nov. 17, 1853, Colony of Norka Russia. Died, Jan. 23, 1940, Interned York Cemetery, York, Nebraska.

Children, Two Daughters and one Son.

Christinia Maria Scheidemann Traudt. Elizabeth M. Scheidemann Claus. Henry Scheidemann.



MR. HENRY SCHEIDEMAIN SR.



ELIZABETH LOHFINK SCHEIDEMANN

SEATED, JOHN PETER GRIESS, CHRISTINE NEE ROMMICH GRIESS, EDWARD J. GRIESS.
STANDING, SOPHIA SCHEIDEMANN, HENRY GRIESS, JULIUS GRIESS, EVA KERNER GRIESS.

HENRY SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

Henry Scheidemann, Born Nov. 1, 1884, Colony of Norka, Russia. Died, Feb. 27, 1954, Interned in Sutton Cemetery, Sutton, Nebraska.

Occupation, Owned and operated, The Star Meat Market, in Sutton Nebr. 1911 to 1953.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Elizabeth Lohfink Scheidemann.

Immigrant to U.S.A. Left Russia May 6, 1899, Arrived at York Nebraska, June 16, 1899.

Married Apr. 28, 1912, Sutton Nebraska. Wife Sophie Griess Scheidemann, Born, Apr. 24, 1991, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, Sutton Nebraska, Rt. II, Bx.76B.

Fathers name, John Peter Griess, Mothers name, Christinia Roemmich Griess.

Children, Edna Anna Scheidemann Walker.

Emma Helen Scheidemann Krieger.

Lucyle Christine "Sterkel.

Leon Scheidemann.

Herman Henry Scheidemann.

Robert Carl Scheidemann.

All born in Sutton, Nebr.



MR. & MRS HENRY SCHEIDEMANN



THE LEFT, HENRY SCHEIDEMANN, WHO OPERATED THE MARKET NEARLY FIFTY YEARS. THE STAR MEAT MARKET, SUITON NEBRASKA NO

ON THE RIGHT, WILLIAM H. CLAIIS.

E. E. WALKER FAMILY

Edna Scheidemann Walker,

Address, 1035 East 11, St. Fremont, Nebraska.

Occupation, Quality Control Supervisor, Campbell Soup Co. Fremont, Nebr.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Sophia Griess Scheidemann.

Married Sept. 5, 1936, Omaha Nebr. Husband, Edward Everett Walker. Died June 1967, Interned Fremont, Nebr. Former, Electrition, Union Pacific Railroad.

Children, Myrna Walker Hanson,
Connie Sue Walker Huff,
Mary Ellen Walker York,
Edward Jr. Walker, Student, Midland
College, and Neb. Uni. Lincoln Nebr.

D. HANSON FAMILY

Myrna Ann Walker Hanson.

Address, 2938 Miramar Rd. Fairborn Ohio.

Occupation, Secretary,

Husband, Donald Hanson,

Occupation, Engineer.

Children, Douglas Eric Hanson Susan Christine Hanson.

R. HUFF FAMILY

Connie Sue Walker Huff,

Address, 948 E. 3rd. St. Fremont, Nebr.

Occupation, Secretary.

Husband, Richard Huff.

Occupation, Coach.

Children, Richard Scott Huff.

L. YORK FAMILY

Mary Ellen Walker York,

Address, 1035 E. 11 St. Fremont, Nebraska.

Married, Lowell York, Aug. 31, 1968.

Occupation, Architect. Mrs York Telephone Co. Supervisor.

EDWARD JR. WALKER

C.R.KRIEGER FAMILY

Emma Helen Scheidemann Krieger, Born, July 15, 1915, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Sophie Griess Scheidemann.

Married Apr. 9, 1939, Sacramento, Calif. Husband, Clarence Robert Krieger, Born, Apr. 9, 1917, City of Hastings, Adams County, State of Nebraska.

Occupation, Supervisor of Drafting Service, Division of Highways, State of California.

Both, C. R. and Emma are licened in Arts and Crafts.

Fathers name, J. Carl Krieger, Mothers name, Emma Sittner Krieger.

Children, One Son, Royal Gene Krieger.



R.H. STERKEL FAMILY

Lucyle Christine Scheidemann Sterkel, Born, Oct. 23, 1930, City of Sutton, Clay County, Nebraska.

Address, Route I, Edgar, Nebraska.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Sophie Griess Scheidemann.

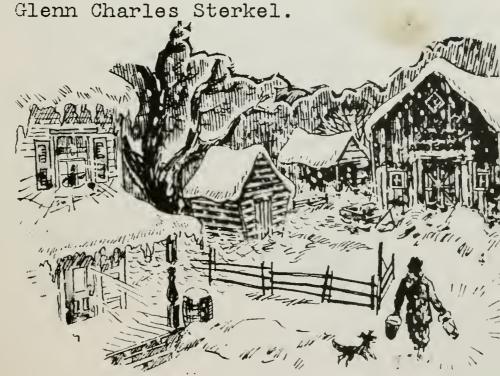
Married, Husband, Robert H. Sterkel. Born, May 8, 1923, City of Edgar, Clay County, Nebraska.

Occupation, Farmer. Lucyle, Business Office of Sutton Telephone Co.

Service record, U.S. Army, World War II.

Fathers name, Henry Sterkel, Mothers name, Sterkel.

Children, David Paul Sterkel,
Mark Alan Sterkel,
Glenn Charles Sterkel



L. J. SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

Leon John Scheidemann, Born, Oct. 21, 1922, City of Sutton Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 265 Hanson Ave. South, Salem, Oregon.

Occupation, Building Contractor.

Service, U.S. Coast Guard, World War II.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann,
Mothers name, Sophie Griess Scheidemann.
Married, Nov. 5, 1942, Oakland, Calif.
Wife, Dorothy Arlene Barkam,
Born, July 14, 19......Salem Oregon.

Occupation, Medical Secretary.

Fathers name, Wayne Barham, Mothers name, ElizabethBarham.

Children, Lee Ann Scheidemann Seeger.

Born, May 9, 1944.

Married Stephen Seeger, June 1968

Occupation, Teacher. Le Anne is a

Graduate of Uni. of Oregon.

Interior Decorator for an Architect.

Mari Beth Scheidemann, Born, Sept. 28, 1946.

Wayne Henry Scheidemann, Born, March 10, 1953

H. H. SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

Herman Henry Scheidemann, Born, Dec. 12, 1960, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Address, Plant Foreman, Swift Meat Packing, Company.

Service Record, U.S. Navy, World War II, Active in Naval Reserves.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Sophia Griess Scheidemann.

Married June 16, 1941, at Hastings, Nebr. Wife Doris Crone Scheidemann.
Born, Sept. 30, 1920, City of Hatings,
Adams County, State of Nebraska.
Doris has a twin sister Dorothy Crone.

Children, Sandra Jean Scheidemann Hollycross.

Born, August 9th, 1943.

Husband Kenneth Holycross.

Judy Kay Scheidemann Alker.
Born, Mar. 16, 1947.
Husband, Kim Alker.
Children, Amy Renee' Alker, Born
October 1967.
Danny Lee Scheidemann,

Born, July, 9, 1951, Hastings, Nebr.

R. C. SCHEIDEMANN FAMILY

Robert Carl Scheidemann, Born, Sept. 26, 1934, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Occupation, Licensed Gun Repair Service, And Propane Supply Company, Employee.

Service, U.S. Army.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Sophie Griess Scheidemann.

Married April, 7, 1957. Wife Janet Utecht, Born, Aug. 14, 1933, City of Hastings. Adams County, State of Nebraska.

Children, Terry Lee Scheidemann, Born, Aug. 6, 1959.

Wayne Carl Scheidemann, Born, July 20, 1961.

Lisa Kay Scheidemann, Sorn......19.....

PETER TRAUDT FAMILY

Peter Traudt, Born, May 22, 1971, Colony of Norka Russia. Died June 30, 1946, York Nebraska, Interned York Cemetery, York, Nebraska.

Married, June 28, 1900.
Wife, Christina Maria Scheidemann Traudt.
Born, Oct. 11, 1897, Colony of Norka Russia.
Died, July 25, 1946.
Interned York Cemetery, York Nebraska.
Immigrant to United States in 1907.

Both were Baptized and Confirmed in the Luthern Faith.

Children, One Daughter.
Minnie Dorthea Traudt Bellmann.





ELIZABETH SCHEUDEMANN CLAUS



MR. & MRS PETER TRAUDT PARENTS OF MINNIE TRAUDT BELLMANN



REV. E. W. BELLMANN FAMILY

Rev. E. Walter Bellmann, Born, Jan6, 1907, Altenburg, Missouri.

Occupation, Pastor of St. John's Luthern Church, Missouri Snyod. Pastor, Lyons Nebr.

Address, Lyons, Nebraska. 68038.

Education, Altenburg Missouri Elementary, ll years at Springfield, Ill. Theologial School, Seward Nebraska, St. Louis eminary.

Married, June 14, 1932, Wife, Minnie Dorothea Traudt Bellmann. Born, March 19, 1904, Yalta Russia.

Immigrant to the United States in 1907.

Education, York Public Schools & United Brethern College in York, Nebr.

Fathers name, Peter Traudt,
Mothers name, Christina Marie Scheidemann
Traudt.

Children, Dorthea Ruth Bellmann Koch.

Donald Roger Bellman.

Deloris Elaine Bellmann Miller.



REV. & MRS E. WALTER BELLMANN



REV. K. W. KOCH FAMILY

Dorthea Ruth Bellmann Koch, Born, Sept. 3, 1936, City of York. York County, State of Nebraska.

Address,

, Pullman, Washington.

Fathers name, Rev. E. Walter Bellmann, Mothers name, Minnie Dorothea Traudt Bellmann,

Education, Public Schools, Seward Nebr. (C.T.C.) Vocational School in St. Louis Missouri.

Married, Rev. Karl William Koch. August 23, 1959, Scotia, Nebraska.

Rev. Karl William Koch,





D. R. BELLMANN FAMILY

Donald Roger Bellmann, Born, Aug. 29, 1937, Sumner, Nebraska.

Address............San Mateo, Calif.

Education, Elementary & High School, Anarga Illnois, Drafting Course at Los Angeles, Calif.

Occupation, Aeronautics, Control Tower.

Fathers name, Rev. E. Walter Bellmann, Mothers name, Minnie Dorothea Traudt Bellmann.

J. O. MILLER FAMILY

Deloris Elaine Bellmann Miller, Born, Sept. 9, 1940.....

Address,

Fathers name, Rev. E. Walter Bellmann, Mothers name, Minnie Dorothea Traudt Bellmann.

-Education, Elementary & High School, Seward Nebr. College, C.T.C. in " Nebr.

Married June 10, 1961 Coal Valley, Ill.
Husband, James O. Miller.
Born, Oct. 22, 19......

Children, Scott Kerry Miller, Born, Mar. 7 1964.
Kory Kay Miller, Born, Feb. 27, 1967.

J. KECHTER FAMILY

Jacob Kechter, Born, Dec. 12, 1901, Winnepeg, Canada.

Address, 1125, Akin Ave. Fort Collins Colo.

Wife, Elizabeth Yeager Kechter, Born, Feb. 2nd, 1900, Fort Collins, Colo.

Father, Adam Yeager, Born, July 23, 1876, Colony of Norka Russia.

Children, Elizabeth Kechter, Kathern " John "

Arnold Walter Kechter, Wife, Hanna Foos Kechter.

Address, 131 North Lyons, Fort Collins, Colo Col

Children, Ronald Kechter.
Karen Sue "
Cindy Ann."

Kennth Jacob Kechter, Wife, Joan Estelle Franz.

Address, 121 Princeton Rd., Fort Collins, Clo

Children, Randle Kechter

Donnetta "

Reginold "

Denise Kech Rodney

JACOB AND ALICE LAES, FORT COLLINS COLORADO

JACOB LAES FAMILY

Jacob Laes, Born, Mar. 28, 1896, Colony of Norka Russia.

Address, 2025 Vine Dr. Fort Collins, Colo.

Occupation, Retired from Public Service for Fort Collins, Gas Company for Thirty-five years. He installed, and serviced, stoves, waterheaters and furnaces.

Immigrant to the U.S.A., at the age of fifteen. His parents remained in Europe.

Wife, Alice Glantz Laes. Born, 28, 1896, Fort Collins, Colo.

Children, Richard L.Laes.
Raymond J. "
Clarence J. "
Leland L. "
Jack G. "

Richard Laes, Occupaton, Public Service Electrician.

Address, 2513 Lakecrest, Loveland, Colo.

Wife Betty Jacoby.

Children, Jo Ann Laes.
Jacquline Lee Laes.
Phyllis Laes.

Raymond Laes, Deceased 1967.

Children, Terrance Laes.

Patricia Laes.

Pamella Laes.

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Clarence Laes.
Occupation, Telephone Co., Drafting and
Drawing.

Address, 8060 W. 45th St., Denver Colo.

Wife, Shirley Hoffman,

Children, Kent Laes.
Gregory Laes.
DeAnn Laes.

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Jack Laes,

Occupation, Drafting and Map Maker.

Address, 5701 Pennsylvania, Apt. 5, Littleton Colorado. Wife, Jan. Clark Laes.

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Leland L. Laes.

Occupation, Business man, Owner & Operator
Of LAES DRAPERIES.
Address, 1236, Southridge Dr., Fort Collins
Colorado.

C. R. KRIEGER FAMILY

Clarence Robert Krieger, Born, April 9, 1917, City of Hastings, Adams County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 4640 Freeman Way, Sacramento, Calif. 95819

Occupation, Supervisor of Drafting Services. California Division of Highways.

Fathers name, J. Carl Krieger, Mothers name, Emma Sittner Krieger.

Father Peter Krieger, and Father John Krieger were married on Jan. 13, 1897 at Hastings Nebraska.

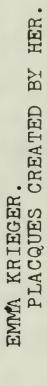
Service Record, U.S. Navy, World War II, Pacific Theatre of Operations.

Married April 9th, 1939 Sacramento, Calif. Wife, Emma Helen Scheidemann Krieger. Born, July 15, 1915, City of Sutton, Clay County, State of Nebraska.

Fathers name, Henry Scheidemann, Mothers name, Sophie Griess Scheidemann.

Children, one Son, Royal Gene Krieger.







MR. C. R. KRIEGER. PAINTING BY HIM.

R.G.KRIEGER FAMILY

Royal Gene Krieger, Born, Feb. 17, 1941, City of Sacramento. Sacramento County, State of California.

Present Address, 751 Delores St. San Francisco, Calif.

Occupation, Finanical Analyst.

Education, Graduate of Sacramento High School.
Graduate of "City College
Graduate of "San Francisco State.
Attended Conservatory of Music in
San Francisco.
Masters Degree at Golden Gate Uni.
Attended Sophia University in
Tokyo, Japan.

Service, U.S. Army Security Agency. Stationed in Japan.

Fathers name, Clarence Robert Krieger, Mothers name, Emma Helen Scheidemann Krieger.

Married, April 8, 1967 in San Francisco. Wife, Katherine Macintosh Krieger. Born, City of Brentwood, Los Angeles County, Calif.

Education, Graduated Santa Monica High School. Graduated, Stanford University.

Occupation, Emporium Stores', Buyer, San Francisco, California.

Fathers name, Richard Macintosh.
Mothers name, Katherine Crane Macintosh.

DOUGLAS BULLEY FAMILY

Douglas William Bulley, Born, May 20, 1942, City of Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Address,

Occupation, Banker, Bank of America. Service Record, U.S. Army, National Guard Sargent, Arcadia Unit.

Fathers name, Edward William Bulley, MD. Mothers name, Pauline Revere Thacher Bulley.

Education, San Marino High School,
University of California at Berkely.
LosAngeles State College, graduate.

Wife, Sharon Lee Halgren Bulley, Born, Jan 12, 1945, City of Pasadena, Los Angeles, County, State of California.

Education, San Gabriel High School, Chapman College, Rosemead Beauty College, graduate.

Occupation, Bank Teller,

Fathers name, Grant Leland Halgren, Mothers name, Mabel Pauline Claus.



TROPHY WON BY SHARI HALGREN BULLEY FOR OUTSTANG HAIR FASHION.

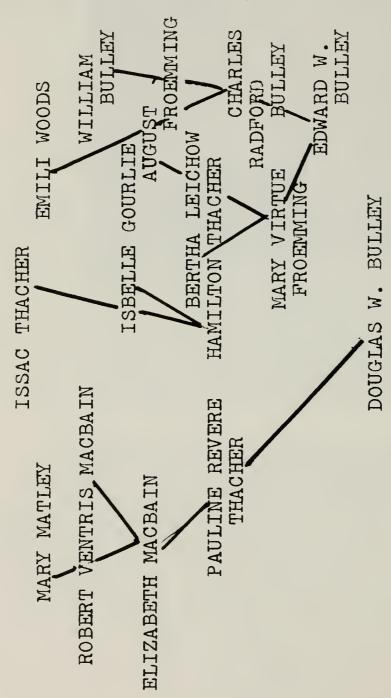
FAMILY TREE BY DOUGLAS BULLEY

I was only able to carry my inhertance as far as my Great Grandparents. The foll-wing paragraphs are concerned with the history of each of my parents.

My Fathers' Ancesters: My Fathers' Grandparents originally came from Newfoundland. His grandfather, William Bulley, was a wealthy banker. His grandmother, Emili Woods, was a prominent high society lady, who was often presented to the King and Queen of England. My Fathers! grandparents on his Mothers side were, Bertha Leieshow and August Froemming, were German Immigrants who came to America shortly before the Civil War. August was a wheat specialist while in Germany, and when he came to America he was a banker, and Mayor of Algoma, Washington. My Father Edward Bulley, M.D. is a Doctor of Pediactrics. Charlie Bulley was a minister. All that is known of the ancestors of Emily Woods is that they were all prominent ministers from Boston.

My Nothers' Ancestors: My Nothers'
Ancestors originally came over on the Mayflower, and lived on Cape Macher. (Near
Cape Cod.) Robert Ventris Macbain, my Mothers'
grandfather, was a shipbuilder, an accountant,
and an artist. Her grandmother, Mary Matley,
originally lived in Virginia. My Mothers'
father was once a very wealthy man, a buyer

and a politician. Hamilton Thacher. His father, Issac Thacher, was a lawyer. The Thacher spelled without a "T", before the "H". Some where along the line, Paul Revre was a direct decendant in my Mothers' line. They named my Mother, Pauline Revere Thacher, after the famed silversmith.



GEORGE SPAHN FAHILY

George Spahn, Born, in Norka Russia, Farmer and Section Forman.

Wife, Elizabeth Kern Spahn.

Children, Louise Spahn Kilburn.
Millie Spahn Claus.
Helen Spahn Kilburn.
Henry Spahn.
John Spahn.
George Spahn.
Peter Spahn.

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Louise Spahn Kilburn, Deceased. Husband, Lynn Kilburn,

Children, Maurice Kilburn, Wife Marguerite.
Address, 9526, Tweede Lane,
Downey, California.

Millie Spahn Claus, Husband, Conrad O. Claus, Deceased.

Address, 4030 Raleigh, Denver, Colo.

Children, Maurine Claus MeNeice.
Dale Claus.
James Claus.

Helen Spahn Kilburn, Husband, Frank Kilburn, Address, 6340 W. 38 St. Wheatridge, Colo.

Children, Dean Kilburn,
Wife Betty Kilburn,
Address, 7101 Larch Dr., Denver Colorado.
Children, Jim Kilburn.
Marilee Kilburn.
Johnny Kilburn.

John Spahn,
Wife, Elizabeth Brown Spahn,
Children, Harold Spahn,
Wife, Truddy,
Children, Sharon.
Address, 3927 Zuni St. Denver, Colorado.

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George Spahn, Deceased. Married and seperated, no children.

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Peter Spahn, Born, Culbertson, Nebraska. Wife Lydia Walker, "

Children, Myrtle Spahn.
Glenn Spahn.
Henneretta Spahn.
Harcella Spahn.
Gerald Spahn.
Bernice Spahn.

W. P. NICHOLSON FAMILY

Wm. P. Nicholson, Born, Aug. 15, 1875, St. Louis Missouri. Died Jan. 18, 1924, Interned, Calvary Cemetery, St. Louis Mo.

Occupation, Auditor for City of St. Louis Mo.

Mothers name, Julia Nicholson, Died 1907. Fathers name, Martin Nicholson, Came to St. Louis Mo., from County Galway, Ireland. Interned Calvary Cemetery, St. Louis Mo.

Wife, Nettie Slattery Nicholson. Born, April 30, 1874, St. Louis Mo. Died Nov. 13, 1926.

Children, John S. Nicholson, St. Louis Mo.

Martin Leo "Deceased.

Margaret Ellen Nicholson Wise,

of Las Vegas Nevada.

John Slattery, Born, County Mayo, Ireland. Died St. Louis MO. Interned in Calvary Cemetery, St. Louis.

Wife, Catherine Slattery, Born, County Mayo, Ireland. Died Sept. 18, 1900 Interned Calvary Cemetery, St. Louis Mo.

Children, Mary Slattery.

Kate Slattery.

Nellie Slattery.

Wm. Slattery.

C.S. WISE FAMILY

Charles Sumpter Wise,
Born, June 11, 1871, City of Clinton,
State of Iowa.
Died......Interned, St. Charles
Park, St. Louis Missouri.

Former Occupation, Well Drilling Contractor.

Mothers name, Matilda Campbell Wise. Born, 1855, London, Ontario, Canada.

Wifes name, Jennie Burns Franke, Born, Aug. 25, 1878, St Louis, Missouri.

Children, Archie C. Wise, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Jane Wise Garfinkel, Balbrin Missouri.

Charles S. Wise Jr. Tulsa Okla.

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Parents of B.F. Wise,
Fathers name, John Wise, Born, 1814,
Lancaster Pa.
Mothers name, Anna Swartz Wise, Born Dec. 3,
1816, Berks Co. Pa.

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William Franke, Born in Germany,
Wife, Mary Smith.
Children, Mona, Grace, Lottie,
Jennie, Al., & Bill Franke.
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# ARCHIE C. WISE FAMILY

Archie Campbell Wise, Born, Dec. 4, 1900, St. Louis Missouri.

Occupation, Well Drilling Contractor.

Mother Jennie B. Wise, Born, Aug. 25, 1878, St. Louis Missouri. Died, Mar. 9, 1963, Interned, St. Charles Cemetery, St. Loui, Missouri.

Father, Charles Sumpter Wise, Born, June 11, 1871, St. Louis Missouri.

Children, Charles S. Wise.
Nettie Wise.
Clara Wise.
Clyde Wise.
Clarence Wise.

Matilda Campbell Wise, Benjamin Franklin Wise,

Parents of Matilda Campbell Wise,
Father, Donald Campbell Wise, Born, Edinburgh.
Scotland, 1813.

Mother, Isabelle, McCloven, Born Prince Edward Island, 1819.

Married Benjamin Franklin Wise.

### ARCHIE C. WISE FAMILY

Archie C. Wise, Born, Dec.4, 1900, St Louis, Missouri.

Occupation, Well Drilling Contractor.

Education, Eugene Field Elementary School, Kemper Military Academy.

Married, May 5, 1926, Red Bud, Illinois. Wife, Margaret Ellen Nicholson Wise. Born, Oct. 11, 1901 St. Louis Missouri.

Fathers name, Wm. P. Nicholson, Mothers name, Nettie Slattery Nicholson.

Education, Arlington Elementary School.
Soldon High School.
Browns' Business College.

Children, Margaret Jane Wise Faiman.
Archie C. Wise Jr.
Robert John Wise.



# WISE.....FAIMAN FAMILY

Margie Jane Wise Faiman, Born June 9th, 1928, St. Louis, Missouri.

Occupation, Secretary of the Faiman Corperation in Nevada. Co-Pilot for her husband when they fly.

Fathers name, Archie Campbell Wise. Mothers name, Margaret Nicholson Wise.

Married, June 24, 1951, San Marino Calif. Husband, Robert Lee Faiman, Born, March 15, 1929, City of Lincoln, Lancaster County, State of Nebraska.

Address, 3609 Apache Lane, Las Vegas, Nev.

Occupation, Business man, Owner and operator, of Shopping Bag Market. Frozen Food and Freezer Business.
Liquor and Bar Assessories.
Owner and operator of Motel on the Las Vegas Strip. "The Tahiti;"
3725 Las Vagas Blvd. Las Vegas,
Nevada.

Fathers name, R. A. Faiman, Mothers name, Elizabeth Claus Faiman.

Service, Marines' in the Wing Service, Squadron, No. I.

Pilot, is a pilot and owns a twin Bonanza plane, No. 3697B.

Children, Deberah Lynn Faiman, Born, Sept. 22, 1952. Robert Lee Faiman, Born, Aug. 2, 1954.

### A. C. VISE JR. FARILY

Archie Campbell Wise Jr. Born, Hov. 15, 1934, St. Louis, Missouri.

Address, 5003 Carmen Blvd. Las Verjas, Nevada.

Occupation, Engineer, Mevada Test Site.

Education, North Phoenix High School, Phoenix, Arizona.

International Correspondence School Scranton, Pa.

Division one and two certificates.

Fathers name, Archie Campbell Wise.
Mothers name, Margaret Ellen Nicholson Wise.

Wife, Elaine Patricia McGrady. Born, Mar. 5, 1934, New York City, N. Y.

Education, Julia Richmond High School, N. Y. Thrope Secterial School, N.Y.

Fathers name, Harold Patrick McGrady, Mothers name, Margarita Johanna Becker Labate.

Children, Keith Martin Wise.

Laurie Margaret Wise.

Michael John Wise.

### R. J. WISE FAMILY

Robert John Wise, Born, Oct. 17, 1938.

Address, 5495, Topaz, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Fathers name, Archie Campbell Wise, Mothers name, Margaret Ellen Nicholson Wise.

Children, Paulett Wise, Born, Apr. 21, 1960 John Robert Wise, Born, Apr. 6, 1964.



#### L. R. WHITE FAMILY

L. Roger White,

Born in Pomona, California, Feb. 21, 1916. Attend Grammar School in Pomona, and also Chino Public Schools. Graduated from Chino High School in 1935.

Married Hazel Martha Claus on July 22, 19-39. Children, Dennis Ray White, and Terry Martin White.

Service, United States Navy, World War II, 1945 - 1946. Has worked for Swedlow Inc. a plastic company since 1946. Departmental Supervisor of material Handling.

Rogers' Fathers' family came from the state of Indianna and settled in San Diego County. His father Laurence Thomas White was born in Pallo, California, in 1882; and lived in Pomona, and Chino California, later moving to Ontario, California. He passed away in June, 1946. He was married to Zoe Temple White, whos family had come from West Virginia. They had four children, Gertrude, Merriam; Margaret, Deane; Ruel White and Roger White.

Hazel Martha Claus White, Born in York, Nebraska, Sept. 10, 1917. Attended grammar School in York and Lincoln, Nebraska. Also Granada Grammar School in Alhambra, Calif. Graduated from Alhambra High School in 1935. Graduated from Filbin Beauty College and received California State Board of Cosmetology License.

The L. R. White family have resided at 1000 So. Sixth St., Alhambra, California since 1943.

Dennis Ray White,
Born, Sept. 2, 1941 in Alhambra, California.
Attended Ramona Grammar School. Graduated
from Alhambra High School, 1959. Occidental
College Los Angeles, B.A. Degree. California
Institute of Technology, 1964, B.S. degree.
Attending, University of Southern California,
in Los Angeles working on P.H.D. in electrical and
Engineering, doing research in area of
Quantum Electronics.

Married June 30, 1968 to Lizabelle Jo. Evans. Jo was born in San Antonio, Texas May 7, 1944. Attended El Camino Grammar School and Vina Danks Jr. High in Ontario California. Graduated from Chaffeey High School in 1962. Graduated University of Southern California. in 1966, B.A. Degree in Sociology. Graduate work at U. S. C. for teaching credential. Teaching in Pasadena School District.

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Terry Martin White, Born, Oct. 23, 1947, Alhambra, California. Attended Ramona Grammar School, Alhambra California, from Kindergarted through eigth grade, Graduated from Alhambra, High School in 1965.

Has attended the University of California at Berkley for three years, and Santa Bar-bara State.

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The above sumitted by Hazel Claus White.



MR. & MRS RODGER WHITE, ON THE RIGHT SONS, TERRY AND DENNIS

### \$100 PRIZE FOR TERRY WHITE

### Wins Top Award AHS Senior

named winner of the Outstanding Student Award in the annual program sponsored by First Fed- L. Roger White of 1000 S. Sixth in the science field. eral Savings and Loan Associa- St. tion of Alhambra, in cooperation with the statewide California Savings and Loan League.

White receives a \$100 cash lion on behalf of the local thrift Club, Pep Council as well as the ership, Neely said.

White, 17, a graduating senior in presented by Robert Neely, per-Alhambra High School, has been sonnel director in the Alhambra office.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

age of 3.93 on a 4.0 scale.

ALHAMBRA - Terry M. and home-financing institution. Boy Scouts and Medical Explorers.

> His first college choice is Stanford University. He will major in physics preparatory to a career

The Savings and Loan award Terry ranks third in a class of program is designed to encour-586 and has a grade point aver- age students to achieve high scholastic standing, and to par-He is active in the Key Club, ticipate in extra curricular acaward and an engraved medal-| Scholarship Society, German tivities which help develop lead-



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